



Flying Fortress Planes Attack 3 Jap Merchantmen

Leave One Sinking, Mac- Arthur's Headquar- ters Reports

Japanese Cruiser Also Bombed, but with Un- known Results

GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEAD-
QUARTERS, AUSTRALIA, Monday,
Sept. 14 (AP)—Allied bombers yes-
terday attacked three Japanese
merchantmen off Tenimber, in the
Kai Islands, leaving one sinking,
the Allied command announced to-
day.

The Kai Islands are north of Dar-
win and south of the western end of
New Guinea.

Allied Flying Fortress planes at-
tacked a Japanese cruiser off New
Britain, but results were not ob-
served.

The situation in the interior of
New Guinea, where Japanese jungle
fighters are advancing overland to-
ward Port Moresby, was unchanged.

2 Jap Bombers Destroyed

At Lae, northern New Guinea
Japanese air base, two Japanese
bombers were destroyed on the
ground in a heavy Allied bombing
attack.

The communiqué said:

"Northwestern sector: Tenim-
ber Islands: Allied medium bom-
bers attacked two enemy cargo
vessels off Seloe Island, scoring
a direct hit on one vessel. The
stern of this ship was blown off
and she was left in a sinking
position. The other vessel was
raked with machine-gun fire.

"Kai Islands: An Allied recon-
naissance unit bombed an en-
emy cargo ship with unknown
results.

"Northeastern sector: New Brit-
ain: Allied heavy bombers at-
tacked an enemy cruiser with
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Commando-Style Attack Launched By Red Forces

Sea-Borne Assault Nets 11 Heavy Guns, Two Am- munition Dumps

MOSCOW, Sept. 13 (AP)—A Com-
mando-style, sea-borne assault be-
hind the enemy's far northern line
was reported today from the Bar-
ents Sea by the navy newspaper
Red Fleet, which credited Russian
marines with destroying eleven
heavy guns, several mortars, two
ammunition dumps and one food
depot.

Suggesting that the Barents coast-
al operation was more than a mi-
nor hit-and-run attack, Red Fleet
said that the assault was continu-
ing. Admiral Nikolai Kuznetsov,
Russian navy commissar, messaged
congratulations to the units in-
volved.

An Exchange Telegraph dispatch
from Moscow to London said that
the attackers also were credited
with capture of 200 prisoners as well
as enemy trenches.

The operation seems to have been
directed against German positions
either in Finland or the nearby
northeastern extremity of Norway.

It assumes additional significance
against the background of what the
Germans have pictured as a great
continuing air battle for position in
that section along the Barents Sea,
part of the Arctic ocean.

Although neither side has inter-
preted the situation in the Far
North, the jockeying for position
suggested the possibility that the
area might soon become a major
theater of action before winter for-
bids big operations.

The Far Northern reaches of Nor-
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FLORAL GIFT FOR AN AXIS SUB



This tremendous fountain of water thrown up by a United States Navy depth charge blast looks like a gigantic flower opening up its petals. It's very pretty to watch, but generally means the doom of an Axis sub caught in the explosion radius. The photo was taken in one of the ocean shipping lanes guarded by the United States fleet. It is an official United States Navy photo.

Leaders Discuss Legislation To 'Freeze' Workers

Congress May Require Many To Hold Their Present Jobs

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 (AP)—
Legislation to "freeze" workers in
vital war industries to their pre-
sent jobs was discussed at the cap-
itol today as congressmen returned
from the hustings and fishing holes,
ending several weeks of informal
recess.

The congressmen were recon-
vened primarily to act on the anti-
inflation measure which President
Roosevelt has demanded by Oct. 1
but other business, including the
bills to draft 18 and 19-year-olds
which are pending in both cham-
bers, also will claim their attention.

May Inventory Labor

Some influential lawmakers who
declined to be quoted by name said
that a complete inventory of the
nation's labor resources and steps to
assure its most efficient use might
precede any action to lower the
draft age from its present twenty-
year minimum.

The results of the War Manpower
Commission's order forbidding log-
gers and non-ferrous metal miners
in twelve western states to seek other
employment without specific
government approval were watched
in this connection. Chairman Paul
McNutt expressed confidence that
employers and workers would com-
ply with the order voluntarily but
hinted that legislation could be
sought to implement the commis-
sion's powers if necessary.

Open Hearings Tomorrow

Reflecting congressional concern
over how efficiently those in charge
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Faster Production Urged by Nelson

NEW YORK, Sept. 13 (AP)—De-
claring the 350 per cent increase in
war production since Pearl Harbor
was good, "but not good enough,"
War Production Board Chairman
Donald M. Nelson tonight urged
everyone engaged in war work or
essential services to establish labor-
management committees.

Speaking over the NBC network
as a guest of the Labor Manage-
ment committee of RCA-Victor at
Camden, N. J., Nelson, in a pre-
pared address, told members of
similar committees in 1,500 war
plants throughout the nation:

"It will be harder to increase
production now than it was six
months ago. There are more physical
difficulties to be overcome. Times
are tougher. So are we. All of us
will not be stopped."

who they could spare for the mili-
tary services. There would be no
question in the minds of wives in
sparing their husbands.

"War elsewhere doesn't lessen the
danger to this nation," he told the
veterans' twenty-fourth annual con-
vention.

"We can't keep 20,000 men in a
plant working short weeks or loaf-
ing long weeks," he said. "There is
no maximum in the amount an
industrial worker can produce. You
soldiers found that out in the last
war. We need the spirit of the
soldier in producing planes, guns,
wheat, corn or what-not."

He warned that "it's a question
if the people will put up any longer
with two-week vacations with pay
and short weeks in industrial
plants."

Flying Fortress Helps Shoot Down Seven Jap Planes

War Department Reveals Successful Action Near Base in Java

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 (AP)—The
impressive account of a "flying for-
tress" and another army bomber
shooting down seven out of a
swarm of fifteen Japanese fighter
planes which sought to swerve
them from their target was related
today by the War Department.

The feat, further evidence of the
defensive power which these air-
craft have been displaying on the
fighting fronts, occurred last Janu-
ary in the Netherlands Indies but
was disclosed only with the an-
nouncement of the award of a dis-
tinguished flying cross to the pilot
of the Flying Fortress, Lieut. Col.
Conrad P. Necrason of Cooper-
town, N. Y., for his "coolness and
courage."

Necrason accompanied another
bomber, its type not specified, in an
attack on Japanese ships off the
island of Celebes, sinking a trans-
port.

Shoot Down Seven Japs

"While still over the target," the
announcement related, "the two
bombers were attacked by fifteen
enemy fighters, seven of which were
shot down. The two bombers then
proceeded to a refueling base."

But Necrason had two more
brushes with the foe that day.
"Lieut. Col. Necrason had just
finished servicing his ship," the ac-
count continued, "when five enemy
aircraft began strafing their field.
He took off in the face of the at-
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Duration of War Is Up to Miners, Patterson Asserts

NEGAUNEE, Mich., Sept. 13 (AP).
—Undersecretary of War Robert P.
Patterson told the iron miners' fam-
ily picnic here today that "the
question of how long this war will
last is in the hands of the Ameri-
can miner."

Citing General John J. Pershing's
words during the dark hours for the
Allies in the spring of 1918—"Ger-
many must be beaten, Germany can
be beaten, Germany will be beaten"—
the undersecretary said the time
of eventual allied victory in this
war depends to a large extent on
how the United Nations made use
of their capacity to produce steel.

The undersecretary said that
shortage of food for miners, allied
bombing raids and "ceaseless sabo-
tage, here a little and there a little,
undoubtedly was cutting German
steel production in occupied and
controlled countries by "thousands
of tons."

Stressing the fact that capacity
to produce in itself is of little value
unless production takes advantage
of it, Patterson said "you can't eat
capacity. You can't fight a war on
it. The stuff is in the ground. It's
a matter of getting it out. That's
where you men x x x come in. The
question of how long this war will
last is in the hands of the American
miner."

"Star Spangled Banner" On the Air Today

BALTIMORE, Sept. 13 (AP)—Lucy
Monroe, the "Star Spangled Ban-
ner," will sing the national anthem
at dawn tomorrow in Fort Mc-
Henry, whose bombardment in 1814
inspired Francis Scott Key to write
the "Spangled Banner."

The program, to be broadcast at
6:30 a. m. over the Blue network,
is part of the observance of "Star-
Spangled Banner Day" and the
128th anniversary of the anthem.

German Forces In Stalingrad, Berlin Asserts

Enter Southern Part of the City, Nazi Statement Says

German Air Force Report- ed To Have Attacked Red Shipping

BERLIN (From German Broad-
casts), Sept. 13 (AP)—German forces
have entered the southern part of
Stalingrad after storming and cap-
turing additional fortifications, the
high command announced today.

The Germans said they tightened
their siege lines about the Volga city
despite the undiminished fury of
Russian resistance and continuing
Red army relief attacks on the north,
all of which were declared frus-
trated.

Inside Stalingrad, the Nazi war
bulletin reported extensive new fires
were set by non-stop day and night
assaults by German airmen.

Berlin military quarters said the
air force continued also to play a
major part in fighting about the
city with dive-bombing assaults and
mass raids by fighter-bombers upon
Soviet strongholds, tanks and con-
centrations of reserves.

Smash at Volga Shipping

While Stalingrad's besiegers pressed
for a decision the air force was
said to be smashing heavily at Volga
shipping, rail and highway com-
munications as far south as Astrak-
han, 230 miles to the southeast
where the river flows into the Cas-
pian.

In the central Caucasus, the high
command said Axis forces thrusting
toward the Grozny oil fields broke
through several enemy positions
"constructed like fortresses" along
the Terek river.

Reds Still Attacking

The Red army still is hurling
strong forces against German po-
sitions at several points on the
Rzhev front, northwest of Moscow,
but the high command said all were
in vain with the Russians sustaining
heavy casualties.

Russian attacks south of Lake
Ladoga on the Leningrad front also
were declared to have collapsed in
the face of strong German defensive
fire. Here the Germans listed de-
struction of eleven Soviet tanks and
eleven ferry boats. In the Volkhov
sector south of Leningrad the Ger-
mans announced destruction of nu-
merous enemy strongpoints.

British Troops Penetrate Deep Into Madagascar

Meet with Little Opposi- tion in Occupying French Island

By RUSSELL C. LANDSTROM
LONDON, Sept. 13 (AP)—British
troops penetrated more deeply into
Madagascar today, every dispatch
from the French island southeast
of Africa indicating that the occu-
pation was being carried out sys-
tematically and with little oppo-
sition.

The British said they were at-
tempting to inflict as little pun-
ishment as possible on French
troops standing in the way of
marches on the capital, Tananarive,
from the north and south.

"We are getting on," said a mili-
tary commentator. "But it must be
remembered that one of our objects
in these operations is not to cause
French casualties."

Advance Continues

Today's communiqué said merely
that "the advance on the capital
continues."

The phrase was interpreted to
mean that the occupation troops
are closer than seventy-one miles,
the distance announced by yester-
day's communiqué.

A central column encountered an
obstacle at the Betsiboka river on
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"Miss America" of 1942 Is Just An Average Texas Girl, She Says

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 13.
(AP)—"Miss America" of 1942 is just
an average Texas girl—she says.

But she can ride a horse, rope a
steer, swim, broil a steak and take
dictation from her lawyer-boss in
rapid fire order. And when she
finds time she likes to curl up and
read a "good book."

She is Miss Jo-Carroll Dennison,
118 pounds of loveliness from Tyler,
Tex., by way of Florence, Ariz., and
California.

The 18-year-old queen, entered as
"Miss Texas," won the "Miss Amer-
ica" title last night when the judges,
some of the top pulchritude ex-
perts in the country, selected her
over twenty-nine girls in Atlantic
City's annual bathing beauty con-
test.

The Texas beauty, who has dark

REINFORCED GERMAN ARMY ADVANCES ON STALINGRAD

ANOTHER USE FOUND FOR ARMY'S JEEP CAR



One of the outstanding machines of this war is the Army jeep car. Its uses are varied and many. The United States Army Medical Corps field service school at Carlisle, Pa., uses the jeep as a stretcher carrier for a number of casualties. The photo shows how it is done. It takes only a few minutes for the conversion. The small car can get in and out of places not suited for a large ambulance.

Pétain Becomes Labor Dictator In Drastic Move

Assumes Complete Control of All Workers in France

By MEL MOST

VICHY, Sept. 14 (AP)—The Petain
government established today the
principle of forced labor and total
dictatorship over employment in
one of the most radical laws in
French history.

Every Frenchman between the
ages of 21 and 35 are subject to
be called up "to effect all labors
which the government will judge
useful in the higher interests of
the nation."

The law provided no limitation on
where they could be sent—although
all ways and means of its applica-
tion are not yet published. It may
be applied also to foreigners who
reside in France.

Every Frenchman—and probably
every male foreigner—subject to
the compulsory labor law must
prove to the government that he is
engaged in work "useful to the
country's needs."

Curb on Employers

Every employer is forbidden to
hire any worker unless they are
provided him by the government
labor service and with government
authorization which also is needed
for firing or quitting.

The law contained a clause to
the effect that "every head of an
enterprise will be obliged to conform
to the instructions which he may
receive from competent secretaries"
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18 Enlisted Men Commended by Navy

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 (AP)—
Commendations have been awarded
to eighteen enlisted men of the navy
for meritorious service when ships
on which they served as armed
guard crews were torpedoed, the
navy announced today.

Among those to whom the letters
of commendation were awarded
were:

Watt Bernard Fuks, 22, 2220 Tulip
St., Lynchburg, Va.; Lawrence Fran-
cis Hall, Jr., 19, Bureau of Child
Welfare, Charleston, W. Va.; Ray
Clark Montgomery, 28, 1804 Bal-
Ave., Huntington, W. Va.; John Ker-
mit Osborne, 20, Dunganon, Va.;
Anthony Joseph Paplauskas, 32,
749 W. Lexington St., Baltimore;
William Chester Taylor, 23, 301 15th
St., Norfolk, Va.

Lieutenant Is Willing

Tired, but willing, a lieutenant
wrote from maneuvers in Louisiana:
"We do have gentlemen in the
army of 1942, and according to
etiquette I don't think a young
lady of eighteen is allowed a kiss
on her first date with a strange boy.
But I would like your address. I
feel sure that arrangements can be
made to give a kiss."

Said a seaman in San Francisco,
in a letter stamped "passed by
naval censor:

"I would like to get in touch with
a lady like you."

Petitioning for her address, a
civilian in Hopkinsville, Ky., said
simply: "It might be a turning
point in my life."

Private Seeks Picture

A private sent his picture from
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"Acute Hysteria" Lands Fan in Hospital

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13 (AP)—
It was the first inning of the "cruc-
ial" game between the St. Louis
Cardinals and the Philadelphia
Phillies when Theodore Gotwalt, 29,
of York, Pa., became ill.

He was taken to a hospital where
physicians said he had "acute hys-
teria."

After twenty minutes of treat-
ment he went back to the ball park
—for more excitement.

Russian Command Admits Nazi Gain In the Southwest

Invaders Hurl Reserves into Greatest Battle of the War

Russians Holding Firm on Sector West of the City

By HENRY C. CASSIDY

MOSCOW, Monday, Sept. 14 (AP).
—The Russian high command said
today that reinforced German
troops had made a further advance
southwest of beleaguered Stalin-
grad, the second German gain an-
nounced in this sector in twenty-
four hours.

Using almost the same words as
in last night's communiqué, the
midnight bulletin said the Germans
had occupied "a populated place" to
the southwest of the Volga city.
The new communiqué said, how-
ever, the Russians were now holding
firm west of Stalingrad where dur-
ing the day a German advance had
been acknowledged.

Nazi Reserves in Action

(The German high command said
that German troops had penetrated
the southern part of Stalingrad.)

The Russians said the Germans
had brought up fresh reserves and
were attacking continuously in the
southwestern sector. The Red army
withdrew, the communiqué said,
only after it had annihilated a bat-
talion of enemy infantry and dis-
abled about forty enemy tanks and
destroyed twenty-four motor ve-
hicles carrying troops.

"West of Stalingrad stubborn
fighting took place," the commu-
iqué said. "The Germans launched
a number of attacks, which were
repelled. On one sector six German
tanks were destroyed."

The Russians also reported that
the enemy had launched a new
large-scale attack on the western
bank of the Don river south of Vo-
ronozh, using an entire infantry
division supported by 100 tanks. The
Germans lost 2,000 officers and
men in killed and wounded. It was
announced. Voronozh is about 300
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O'Connor Asserts Md. Income Tax Can Be Reduced

Indicates He Will Slash Levy from 20 to 25 Per Cent

BALTIMORE, Sept. 13 (AP)—Gov-
ernor O'Connor declared tonight that
latest income tax tabulations bore
out his statement that the Mary-
land state income tax levy can be
reduced by twenty or twenty-five
per cent and reiterated that a size-
able reduction should be made to
offset increased federal taxation.

The governor said in a statement
that he intends to eliminate un-
necessary spending and curtail the
operations of certain departments
not connected with the war effort,
at least during the emergency.

May Eliminate Many

O'Connor has said he was consid-
ering a plan to eliminate payment
of income taxes by persons whose re-
mittances were less than five dollars.

In presenting the tabulation to
the governor, Joseph O'C. McCusker,
chief deputy comptroller, said that
if a legal question were raised about
discrimination in favor of taxpayers
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O'Connor To Propose 48 States Act as Unit on Rubber Program

BALTIMORE, Sept. 13 (AP)—Gov-
ernor Herbert R. O'Connor of Mary-
land said tonight he would propo-
se that the forty-eight states act uni-
formly to carry out the rubber con-
servation program recommended by
the Baruch committee after details
receive administration approval.

O'Connor, chairman of the Gov-
ernors' Conference and president of
the board of managers of the Na-
tional Council of State Governments,
said his recommendation would be
made at a meeting Wednesday of
the council's defense committee in
Baltimore.

Positive Action Needed

Certain phases of the Baruch re-
port, if adopted, call for positive
action on the part of the states.
O'Connor said, advocating concerted
effort by the council to prepare uni-
form legislation.

States Represented

The defense committee meeting
Wednesday is expected to attract
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Husbands with Dependents Must Serve, Gen. Hershey Declares

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 13
(AP)—Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey,
national director of selective service,
told New Jersey Legionnaires today
that the nation's need for manpower
on its far-flung battle-fronts had
made inevitable the call to arms of
previously-deferred husbands with
dependents and war production
workers.

"We will have to come to the
realization that there are not enough
single men, that there are not
enough married men without de-
pendents for the mobilization of
say, between ten million and thir-
teen million in the United States,"
General Hershey said.

"If Hitler landed on the beach
now, this afternoon, there would
be no question in industrial plants
within one thousand miles of here

Allied Bombers Attack Japanese Air Base at Buna

Unload 26 Tons of Bombs on Southeast Coast of New Guinea

By DEAN SCHEDLER

SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUINEA, Sept. 13 (AP)—Striking a mighty blow at the Japanese threat to the allied outpost of Port Moresby, American and Australian airmen unloaded twenty-six tons of bombs yesterday upon the enemy base at Buna, on New Guinea's southeast coast, and then churned the resulting fires with 28,000 rounds of cannon and machine gun fire.

The Japanese were caught flat-footed and when the Flying Fortresses, medium bombers, fighters and attack planes had done their jobs, 17 grounded enemy planes lay in ruins, every one of the Japanese anti-aircraft batteries was silent and fuel and ammunition dumps were exploding or burning all over the place.

All of this fiery destruction, accomplished in two hours, was declared to have rendered Buna useless as a base for air support to Japanese forces thrusting through the towering Owen Stanley Range toward Port Moresby, on the other side of the Papuan peninsula.

Fortresses Attack First

Flying Fortresses started the fireworks with a dawn attack, then came the medium bombers, fighters and attack craft in a combined and perfectly coordinated assault.

The fighter and attack pilots topped it off with seven strafing runs at treetop level over the wrecked airbase, where the Japanese have been trying frantically but without success to get into operation since they landed in the Buna-Gona area on July 23.

Action in the Owen Stanley mountains, where the Japanese have pushed ground forces to within some forty miles of Port Moresby, for the third successive day was confined to sporadic patrolling.

The Buna attack was hailed as a powerful blow to Japanese designs upon Port Moresby, although the threat presented by Japanese troops who have inched forward by "Monkey tactics" still is great.

The increasing punch of American bombers and fighters roaring over New Guinea's jungle battlefield has done much to lift the morale of Australians fighting to check the Japanese infiltration.

Jap Plane Loses Heavy

New Guinea airmen swirl with dust and night as Curtiss P-40 fighters and Flying Fortresses take off to smash at the Japanese north of the Owen Stanley range. Yesterday's Allied attack brought to forty-six the number of enemy planes destroyed in the air and on the ground at Buna since Aug. 24. Fourteen more have been destroyed elsewhere in New Guinea.

Both Australians and Americans in this theater have expressed the determination that New Guinea would not be another Bataan or Malaya.

Australians have experienced typical Japanese fighting tactics as the enemy crept through jungles, waded streams and descended breath-taking ravines in these mountains.

Fighting has been on terrain that defies imagination. Australians have battled the enemy waist-deep in the mosquito infested jungle.

A fighting man in this area needs every morale boost possible, since his battlefield is one of the hell holes of this war.

Escaped Convict Would Change Name

NEW YORK, Sept. 13 (AP)—Ormund Westgate, 49, a marine worker and an escaped convict, said today that he wants to adopt legally the name of Patrick James O'Brien—a name that to him signifies respectability, family life and the satisfaction of being a useful citizen.

He assumed that name after his escape from an Illinois prison farm in 1924 and kept it until his fingerprints on an application for a coast guard pass brought his arrest last week as a fugitive.

As he waited for an expected letter from Governor Dwight H. Green of Illinois telling him he had paid his debt to society by eighteen years of exemplary conduct since his escape, Westgate said:

"I want to forget there ever was an Ormund Westgate. It isn't only that everybody knows me, and I know myself, as Patrick James O'Brien. It's also that my boy is Jimmy O'Brien, and I don't ever want him to be anything else."

Flying Fortress

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unknown results. Intense anti-aircraft fire was encountered; all our planes returned.

Lae: Allied medium bombers twice attacked enemy airbase, destroying two heavy bombers on the ground and starting fires. Seventeen tons of bombs were dropped on installations and in the dispersal areas. There was no interception, but heavy anti-aircraft fire was encountered. All our aircraft returned.

Salomau: An Allied air unit bombed the enemy base.

Owen Stanley area: The situation remains unchanged. Patrols have been engaged on both sides.

WHEN GESTAPO AGENTS RAIDED WARSAW GHETTO



This photo, found on the body of a Nazi officer killed on the Russian front, was taken by the officer during a raid on the Jewish ghetto in Warsaw. Such raids are carried out periodically on the flimsiest pretext. Gestapo agents at left are searching some of the victims. Discovery of anything that the Germans decide to call "contraband" is excuse for beatings, torture and murder.

32,000,000 Poles Ready To Fight, Leader Asserts

Major Ryzewski Declares Defeat of Hitler Is Certain

BALTIMORE, Sept. 13 (AP)—The 32,000,000 men, women and children in Poland, "regardless of the suffering they are now enduring, are ready to fight for their beloved Poland when the time arrives," Major Adam Ryzewski of the Free Polish forces said today.

"Our army has soldiers all over the world," he told an audience of Polish-Americans at the opening of the Baltimore home, "and they go as soldiers—not as 'tourists.' In addition to the 150,000 troops in the regular armed forces, who are fighting as pilots, sailors and soldiers with the United Nations everywhere, there must be added the 32,000,000 Poles in the homeland."

Major Ryzewski is stationed in Canada.

Alexander Jachimowicz, Polish consul in New York, said that "after three years Hitler has changed from wondering as to whether he would win the war."

"After the fall of Poland he was confident, and after the fall of France he was certain of victory. After the attack upon Russia and the failure to win swiftly, he began to be apprehensive. Now he has an increasing fear that he will lose."

Unable To Walk, Man Shoots Wife

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 13 (AP)—Although he is unable to walk, Dolphus Lee Young, 30, managed to go to a meeting with his estranged wife in a third-floor apartment and there shot and wounded her. Police Lieutenant Robert Gregory related today.

Young, arrested this afternoon at the scene of the shooting, was carried up the stairs of the apartment building by a friend. Police carried him down and to police headquarters.

Mrs. Young's wounds were said to be painful but not severe.

Her husband, whose legs have been paralyzed since he suffered a spinal infection two years ago, was found seated in the apartment where they were to "talk things over." He was holding a .32 caliber pistol from which five shots had been fired, Gregory said.

Young was charged with "malicious shooting and wounding."

O'Connor Asserts

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whose liability is less than five dollars, a plan might be devised whereby a credit of five dollars would be allowed on all income tax returns.

Such a credit, O'Connor mentioned, would offset the Victory tax recently proposed to be paid to the federal government.

The latest calculations on income tax collections in Maryland showed that during the first ten months of the current fiscal year the state has received \$8,260,784.49 from that source. Approximately \$1,800,000 additional is expected to be realized during the final two months of the fiscal period ending September 30.

Close to Estimates

Originally, it was figured the levy would yield \$8,440,000 over the twelve-month period. Twenty-five per cent of the tax is paid to the counties and to the city of Baltimore on the basis of amounts received from taxpayers in those areas.

The industrial boom in Maryland was credited by fiscal officials with the upturn in revenues. The yield last year was \$7,656,380.37 while the 1939 returns amounted to \$8,002,950.49.

O'Connor said in his statement that the comptroller's office had informed him 38,101 persons in the state paid income taxes of less than five dollars during the last year, for a total of \$96,584.96.

Altogether, 169,998 resident individual returns for the calendar year

CONFERS WITH NELSON



Shipbuilder Henry J. Kaiser is shown after leaving a conference on cargo planes in Washington with Donald M. Nelson, chairman of the War Production Board. It is reported that Kaiser would be authorized to construct at least one big cargo-carrying plane on an experimental basis.

Tydings Flays FDR's Proposals

Says President Will Make a Mistake If He Rules by Decrees

BALTIMORE, Sept. 13 (AP)—Senator Millard E. Tydings (D-Md.) said today he thought "it was a mistake for the president to say he would set aside by decree the constitutional process x x x if Congress did not do what he wanted" on price control.

"If we are fighting this war against dictators," Tydings said in an address broadcast over station WBAL, "then Mr. Roosevelt, as our leader, ought not to put himself in the position where we will be doing here in the United States the very thing that thousands of men are giving their lives to destroy in other countries."

Mr. Roosevelt set October 1 as the deadline for action by Congress to prevent inflation.

Tydings asserted that "because the president recommended the law should be definite in reference to the farmers but would be indefinite in reference to the industrial workers, many senators and congressmen felt that the president's proposals were unfair to agriculture."

"Any price control law must call for equal sacrifice and confer equal benefits on all workers in both industry and agriculture alike."

Commando-Style

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way and Finland, as well as the adjacent Kola Bay and Rybachy peninsula section of Russia have figured in second front speculation.

The Germans had already claimed, entirely without confirmation, that in aerial fighting in the far north on Thursday and Friday Axis airmen, including Rumanians, Hungarians, Italians and Spaniards, shot down 171 planes.

Among this number, the Germans said, were Curtises and Aircobras from the United States and Hurricanes from Britain—all fighters.

Neither side has offered an explanation of the concentrations of air power—in what has been a relatively quiescent war zone.

Unkissed Model

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Seattle, Wash., with a cartoon bearing the caption "we can take 'em" and a letter declaring: "I am an honest American soldier and still believe in chivalry. I am asking for an introduction."

Another civilian explained that he had been turned down by the army for physical reasons but that if he had been a soldier he wouldn't have let any opportunities slip by.

"Here's hoping someone kisses you soon," he said. "It's a wonderful feeling."

Bright-eyed Miss Sable, who comes from Wichita, Kas., has changed her mind.

"I believe now that plenty of the boys are romantic," she said today smiling happily. "They are just boys. They are really gentlemen."

Eight More Ships Sunk by Subs in Atlantic Battle

Heavy Losses Reported in Period Covering Last Week

(By The Associated Press)

The battle of the Atlantic, apparently entering a new phase with Saturday's Axis submarine attack upon vessels moored in Carlisle Bay, Barbados, claimed eight more allied merchantmen in official announcements last week.

Reports from Bridgetown on the first attack of the war on the British West Indies island revealed that the raider remained in the bay twenty-five minutes and fired five torpedoes while under fire from shore batteries.

Mention was made of damage in a statement issued by the information officer on the island. It was said there were no casualties.

Meanwhile, although reports from an east coast Canadian air base last week indicated that more enemy submarines had been destroyed by bombing off Canada's East coast during summer operations than Allied surface craft sunk there by U-boats, Royal Canadian Naval headquarters had a word of warning for "false optimism" in connection with the submarine menace.

Admitting that shipping losses in the war at sea had lessened during the summer months, the Canadians declared that the Battle of the Atlantic was "of far greater scope than ever before experienced."

Allies Raid Continent

NEW YORK, Sept. 14 (AP)—Radio stations in several Axis countries went off the air tonight indicating that Allied raids were again in progress in Central Europe.

Leaders Discuss

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of the war effort are parceling out manpower to meet the demands of the armed forces and of war production, the special House committee on defense migration will open hearings Tuesday on the subject, Chairman Tolson (D-Calif.) announced that half a dozen top officials would be called to testify, among them War Production Chief Donald M. Nelson, Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey and McNutt.

The committee, after a preliminary study, already has assailed the "considerable confusion" in the government's efforts to assure both industry and the armed forces adequate manpower.

The fighting services recently have indicated their concern over the question of maintaining a balance between fighters and workers. The army and navy announced that henceforth they would refuse to accept volunteers who were deemed of greater value in their jobs in essential industries and federal agencies.

Takes Crack at Slackers

Selective service headquarters took action apparently aimed at slackers who may have taken refuge in war industries. It ordered immediate reclassification of any deferred registrant or group of registrants "not supporting" or "adversely affecting the war effort."

While Hershey already had the power to change the deferment status of registrants, this was the first time he had issued a formal order conveying a threat to use it.

Congress, especially its committee, headed into a busy period. The Senate Finance committee, which had tentatively adopted schedules for individual incomes as it neared completion of its work on the tax bill, indicated it might reopen them following a treasury estimate that the levies as drafted would add only \$830,000,000 to the revenue voted by the House.

The role of small business in the wartime economy again had congressional attention. The special Senate Small Business committee headed by Chairman Murray (D-Mont.) sent questionnaires to 346 wholesale and retail trade organizations asking for suggestions.

Using Up Tires Could Lose War, Henderson Says

Price Administrator Asserts Car Owners Are Wasting Rubber

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 (AP)—Price Administrator Leon Henderson told motorists today that the tires on their cars constituted a bigger stockpile of rubber than the government's and that wasting it could lose the war.

He estimated that 1,000,000,000 tire miles were wasted in unnecessary driving every day throughout the country, enough rubber to recap 200,000 tires, and declared, "that is waste that can lick us in the kind of fight we're in unless we cut out that waste right now."

Ask Voluntary Rationing

Henderson urged, in an address prepared for the National Broadcasting Company network, that motorists throughout the country apply to themselves voluntarily the gasoline rationing restrictions already imposed on the east without waiting for the rationing machinery to be set up several weeks hence. His radio appeal was similar to that he issued in a statement last night.

Henderson said that before the war the country was using 600,000 tons of rubber annually for all purposes, most of which went into tires, and that now military requirements alone demand 547,000 tons. Therefore, he continued, some 1,000,000 tons of rubber in the tires on the road must be conserved to provide essential transportation.

10,000 Mile Leeway Small

"Too many of us," he said, "have been saying too long: 'oh, I've got another 5,000 or 7,000 miles in my tires. The way I drive that's enough to last until we get synthetic tires.'"

"Let me tell you that if you have 10,000 miles in your tires that you have no assurance that it will last until you get synthetic tires. You have no assurance because no one can tell you with the certainty required when you will get synthetic tires—and don't believe any statement to the contrary."

Marcus Will Welcome Return of the Horse

WASHINGTON, Ind., Sept. 13 (AP)—Talk of returning to horse n' buggy days is music to the ears of Marcus Schuetter, 27-year-old Jasper cabinet maker.

From a familiar horizontal position in a hospital here, he lamented that he's recuperating from his seventh automobile crash in which he's suffered two broken legs, cut legs tendons, a knee injury, head injuries and bruises by the score.

Furthermore, each time he was a passenger.

INTERPRETING THE WAR NEWS

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

After our initial mistake of underestimating the Japanese, the reports that enemy fliers now fighting in the southwest Pacific are relatively poor fliers naturally will be received with reserve.

For that war alone, the reports seem well founded enough. Back from a front line inspection, Undersecretary James V. Forrestal of the Navy notes an impression on the scene that the quality of Japanese flying personnel is deteriorating both in skill and determination.

From Associated Press correspondent Clark Lee comes a dispatch stating that American naval aviators believe the enemy pilots encountered in the Solomons offensive are less able than those met in previous air battles.

Jap Air Forces Heavy

The idea is supported by the manner in which enemy planes have been knocked down there. Of seven to nine bombers which in three successive days raided the Guadalcanal island fields seized by the Marines, a Navy communiqué said, fifteen were destroyed along with five fighters trying to protect them. Altogether it is figured the Japanese have lost at least 143 planes in the Solomons fighting alone.

But whether the southwest Pacific is a fair index just now of the state of Japanese air power is another matter. On the contrary, the massing of forces along the Siberian border suggests that the bulk of the enemy fliers may be 4,000 miles away, keyed for an attack on Russia's Far East.

Japs Caught Napping

In the Solomons the Japanese were caught napping with inferior forces on the scene, just as they were by the Doolittle raid on Tokyo. Over the Nippon capital only obsolete fighter planes were left to cope with the most modern American bombers but at the same time the Japanese took unquestioned control of the skies over the main guard of their march of conquest in the Netherlands Indies.

Inconclusive in themselves, the reports from the Solomons nevertheless bolster testimony from Midway, the Aleutians, China and elsewhere that Japanese aerial strength is waning as our mounts. Certainly in the last four months the battering given the Japanese in the air as well as at sea and on land has tended, as observed by Brigadier General Patrick J. Hurley, to "make a conservative out of a bully."

SHE'S READY FOR GAS RATIONING!



Seeing the handwriting on the wall several weeks ago, Movie Actress K. T. Stevens stored her two big automobiles for the duration and bought a specially-built miniature car. She is pictured, above, in the tiny vehicle as she drove around Hollywood. The car gets 110 miles on a gallon of gasoline at a top speed of 32 miles an hour.

Heroic Russians Stop Nazi Tanks Fill Pockets with Grenades and Throw Themselves under Machines

MOSCOW, Sept. 13 (AP)—An epic story of the heroism of Russian soldiers who filled their pockets with hand grenades and threw themselves under German tanks rolling toward Stalingrad stirred the capital today.

Sixteen men, of whom fifteen are dead and one is dying, by acts of sacrifice held up an onslaught of twelve German tanks and drove two platoons of Italian infantry and a unit of German automatic riflemen to cover, the Sunday papers reported.

The sixteen men, it was reported held a vital sector northwest of Stalingrad and repulsed a determined enemy attack from the direction.

First they beat off Italian infantry which stormed the top of a hill.

The Italians were replaced by German automatic riflemen who were subjected to a concentrated fire. The riflemen came almost to the Russian positions and were stopped at last by a bayonet charge.

Darkness brought a lull in operations, but at dawn twelve German tanks rolled into the field to charge the stronghold. The little Russian force had no anti-tank weapons, but the men decided to do their utmost with hand grenades and vowed not to be taken alive.

Hand grenades tossed in the orthodox manner blew up four of the tanks. But the rest came on. The last three Russians remaining uninjured then stuffed hand grenades under their belts, tucked others into their pockets and holding as many as possible in their hands they threw themselves under the caterpillars of two more tanks.

Men and machines were blown to bits. The remaining tanks withdrew and before they could resume the attack Russian reinforcements arrived.

The story was told by the commander of the little band of Russian defenders, Lieut. Kochevov. Russian reports said he is wounded mortally.

Colin Kelly's

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There was a terrific amount of anti-aircraft fire coming up at us as we approached. It was being thrown up by the battleship and the rest of the convoy; most of it just below us.

"We were flying at 22,000 feet but these Flying Fortresses are built for the job."

Bombs Hit Ship

"We were almost straight in front of the target. Fifteen seconds before I released the bombs I knew I was going to hit the ship. . . . I saw them hit. What a hit. The first one opened up the starboard side the second hit her near the funnel and the third landed just over the port side."

"The next time I took a look at her she was really blazing. I knew then it was the Haruna. Big black, thick smoke was pouring out and there was a big patch of oil spreading from the sides."

Levin told of the bomber's loss on the way home. Capt. Kelly was killed when the ship exploded after he had ordered his men to bail out. Levin and four others came down safely.

O'Connor To

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representatives from Pennsylvania, Virginia, North and South Carolina and the District of Columbia, as well as Maryland.

In addition to other matters, the defense group will consider the recent order of the Office of Defense Transportation regulating trucks, buses and taxicabs as of Nov. 15 and a series of emergency law measures which would be effective only for the duration of the war. One of these deals with the handling of state surplus and their possible use as a public works reserve in the several states.

Cost of Living Bills Will Come Up during Week

House and Senate To Act Soon on Wages and Farm Prices

By FRANCIS J. KELLY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 (AP)—New cost of living control legislation to be introduced in Congress tomorrow will establish "guidesposts" for industrial wages as well as farm prices, Senate Majority Leader Barkley announced after a parley with House members late today.

"It will give the president all the power he needs to deal with farm products and labor," Barkley said. "It will authorize him to bring about a general stabilization of the price of farm products and of wages."

Hold Strategy Conference

Four senators and four House members attended the unusual Sunday strategy conference in the massive Senate office building. Conference included Barkley, Chairman Wagner of the Senate Banking and Currency committee, Senator Brown (D-Mich.), Senator Bankhead (D-Ala.), a leader of the powerful Senate Farm Bloc, Chairman Steagall of the House Banking and Currency committee, and Representatives Spence (D-Ky.), Patman (D-Tex.) and Thomas F. Ford (D-Calif.).

Barkley, spokesman for the lawmakers, expressed confidence that the projected measure would be on the books by October 1, the president's deadline for action.

Wagner and Brown planned to introduce the bill in the Senate tomorrow and Steagall said every effort would be made to have a measure ready for the House hopper at the same time. Whether identical bills would be introduced was undetermined tonight.

"There is no disagreement among us as to the scope of the legislation, however," Barkley added.

Senate Hearings Tomorrow

Wagner said the Senate committee would open hearings Tuesday with Price Administrator Leon Henderson as the first witness. He will be followed by William H. Davis, chairman of the National War Labor Board, and Secretary of Agriculture Wickard. Representatives of the American Farm Bureau Federation, the National Grange and the National Farmers Union will be heard Wednesday.

Barkley said he hoped the hearings could be finished in not more than three days and that the bill could be reported out for Senate action a week from tomorrow. He said Steagall believed the House could pass the measure by September 24.

Neither House nor Senate conferees would divulge details of the bill prior to its introduction. Barkley cautioned newsmen, however, against reference to the labor provisions as "freezing," declaring that was a misnomer. The general idea is stabilization of all items entering into the cost of living.

Laval Heads Police

BERLIN, (From German broadcasts), Sept. 13. (AP)—A Vichy dispatch said that a decree published today in the Official Gazette had placed the French military police directly under control of Chief of Government Laval.

"Miss America"

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Star state, who are stationed here with the United States army air forces.

Dressed in doe chaps, plaid shirt and skirt and a huge cowboy sombrero, she tore the house down Thursday with a song-dance rendition of "Deep in the Heart of Texas," and the next night was greeted with ear-splitting cheers when she won the bathing beauty prize in her division.

Throughout most of the preliminary judging Jo-Carroll was attired in dainty chiffon dresses, but for her final appearance before the judges she wore a blue velvet evening gown with long sleeves and a princess neck. Setting this off was a gold belt and her long wavy hair which falls about her shoulders.

British Troops

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the road to Tananarive, where a section of a suspension bridge had been lowered into the water. French troops there made a gesture of opposition. British reports said forty-seven French prisoners were taken, a few of the defenders wounded, and that four British were wounded. The river was crossed early yesterday.

Vichy Reports Fighting

The fighting at the river was reported by the Vichy radio, but French reports that British losses were high were considered baseless in authoritative quarters here.

An official report from Nairobi, Kenya colony, said that no French artillery fired in the course of the British landing at Majunga Thursday. British fifteen and six inch naval guns were at hand, but it was not necessary to bring them into action.

Semi-official reports from Nairobi stated the British started landing at Majunga shortly after midnight, and that French forces were engaged at dawn. The city was captured in three hours. Naval planes patrolling overhead were unchallenged. "French casualties were happily very light," the Nairobi reports said.

Jaycees Release Fourth List of Local Soldiers

Citizens Urged To Send Birthday Greetings to Men from County

The Junior Association of Commerce Victory committee has released its fourth list of names and birth dates of men from Allegany county, now in the armed services. These soldiers, sailors and marines who have birthdays during the week of September 20, number fifty-one. If there are any men in the list that you know, contact his family, get his military address and send him a gift or a greeting.

In order to maintain complete records the Association is asking that the names of men enlisting prior to being drafted be sent to its office in the Liberty Trust building.

The list follows:

September 20
Russell Liller, 32 North Centre St.; Roy B. Fraley, 310 Thomas St.; Fred W. Mills, Jr., 815 Mt. Royal Ave.; John J. McKenzie, RFD 5; William R. Barrett, 334 Aviret Ave.; James H. Haines, 318 Estella St.; John E. Matthews, 421 Walnut St.; Eliza W. Nave, 609 Piedmont Ave.; P. Ralph Frantz, 322 Bedford St.; William V. Platter, 427 Columbia St.; and Ralph L. Reynolds, 408 Woodside Ave.

September 21
Charles M. Heffner, Flinstone; Darrell K. Evans, 531 Greene St.; Daniel R. Mattingly, RFD 1; Chas. Raymond Evans, 208 Fairfax St.; William H. Nies, 118 Reynolds St.; Frank R. Leasure, 319 Cumberland St.; Leo C. Miller, Box 121, Cumberland; William A. Barnard, Rt. 1, Westernport; and Vincent F. Settle, 165 Bedford St.

September 22
Daniel W. Pazenbaker, Lonaconing; George C. Roeder, 407 Henderson Ave.; Roy A. McDonald, 503 Springdale St.; Melvin D. Redhead, 301 Massachusetts Ave.; William S. Frantz, 73 Greene St.; Adrian B. White, Locust Grove; Paul Nick Harris, 8 North Mechanic St.; John J. Bartik, 515 Franks Lane and Chas. E. Geatz, 144 Washington St., Frostburg.

September 23
George M. Babb, RFD 2, Flinstone; William J. Walsh, Cresaptown; and Orville J. Miller, 125 Bedford St.

September 24
Lewis H. Adams, Oldtown; William L. Short, 215 Central Ave.; Frank L. Peddicord, 24 North Waverly Terrace; Franklin R. Spencer, 419 Arch St.; and William Widows, 10 Crescent Place.

September 25
Oscar C. Oster, 67 Oldtown Rd.; George M. Twigg, 20 Winrow St.; Michael E. Moore, 407 Race St.; Paul H. Rice, 610 Fairview Ave.; Frederick E. Powell, Woodlawn-LaVale; Lenwood Printy, Ellerslie; Edward J. Nolan, National; and Joseph R. Whelan, 117 Church St., Westernport.

September 26
Joseph B. Fretwell, 105 East First St.; James W. Douglas, 411 Greene St.; Lawrence A. Trozzo, 20 North Smallwood St.; Charles S. Deffenbaugh, 306 Furnace St.; Chas. E. Harris, Jr., Luke, and James J. Jones, 426 Chestnut St.

Russian Command

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miles northwest of Stalingrad, a key defense sector where the Russians have launched a number of counter-attacks recently.

Caucasus Situation Better
Encouraging reports reached Moscow about fighting in the deep Caucasus. The news agency Tass stating that in the mountainous region near Moxdok Axis units were "withdrawing northward." In actions in this region Russian artillery, it was reported, set fire to twenty-six enemy tanks.

The midnight communiqué, however, said only that "in the area of Moxdok our troops, in fierce battles with the enemy, destroyed twelve German tanks and wiped out a battalion of infantry."

Sixty more German tanks were disabled in one sector southwest of Stalingrad and heavy losses inflicted on the enemy, the high command said. This is in addition to the forty disabled in the sector where the Germans advanced.

Reds Use Fresh Troops
At Stalingrad, the Russians were counting heavily on fresh air force, tank and artillery units which the Soviet command managed to move into the fighting zone. These fresh troops to a degree offset the superiority in men and equipment the Germans had thrown around the Russian industrial city in a vast semi-circle to the north, west and south.

The fresh Russian combat fliers were especially successful in inflicting punishing losses on the invaders. It was stated by reports from the front. Many of the Red fliers were turned loose as individual hunters, moving over the smoking countryside and striking at the enemy at will where the best opportunities presented themselves.

The army newspaper Red Star reported that in three weeks these one wolves of the sky have destroyed fifty-one German planes and have caused great confusion among enemy tank formations.

Red Resistance Increasing
Russian resistance increased in stubbornness as the Germans inched forward. But it was acknowledged that the Nazis' slow progress toward the Volga had not been halted and remained to be seen whether the fresh Russian forces now in action



ON TO TOKYO — Shown here are part of the trucks which paraded down Baltimore street yesterday, just before they fanned out in every direction to bring in the scrap. The workers on the trucks are volunteers from a number of organizations including labor unions, veterans' groups, civic associations and local state guardsmen. The workers used the slogan, "Send your scrap to kill a Jap."

could overcome the added pressure being exerted by the new German reserves now doing their utmost to storm every approach to the metropolis.

While conceding the Germans had taken a vital "populated place" south of the city Russian reports said the Nazis had failed in three powerful assaults to follow up this gain. At the southern edge of the city, it was stated, the Russians are holding firmly to the summits of several hills and so far have managed to smash all attempts to pass between these fortified points.

To the west of the city, where another community had fallen to the Germans, a great tank battle was raging. Into this action the Russians had thrown more than a hundred machines and the newspaper Izvestia said German tank forces retired after the initial collision.

The fields were strewn with wrecked German tanks, Izvestia added and it was estimated that Russian tank crews had killed 600 of the enemy by gunfire and by crushing them under caterpillar treads of their machines.

Russians Counter-Attack
In the Stalingrad region the Russians worried the Germans with a quick succession of small-scale actions. Counter-attack was an essential part of their defense strategy. The Axis forces were able to neglect no sector, and no part of the front could be counted on to remain inactive any length of time.

Another feature of the savage fighting was the extraordinary strength of Russian artillery. West of Stalingrad, Red Star reported, Russian artillery repulsed four assaults by infantry and tanks. Two companies of enemy infantry were "wiped out" in this operation, front reports said.

While Stalingrad remained the focal point of fighting on the eastern front an important battle little less violent was raging near Sinyavino in the Volkhov sector east of Leningrad.

In this area, Russian press dispatches said, the Germans were fighting desperately to cling to a stretch of about twelve miles of the Leningrad-Volga railway. It would be of considerable importance to besieged Leningrad, and the Germans have fortified their positions in the region with an elaborate system of trenches and machine-gun emplacements. The Russians reported the capture of several fortified points.

Pelain Becomes

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of state, notably for constituting crews of workmen.

Infractions of the law will be punishable with sentences up to five years imprisonment and a 30,000 gold franc fine, which will be doubled in the case of second offenders.

An advance tip on the law was given the press Friday in an off-the-record statement.

Pierre Laval, chief of government, was originator of the policy which he announced for "concentrating" industry in fewer plants and for stepping up working hours in order to "liberate" labor for work elsewhere.

Send Workers to Germany
This was followed by the government drive to send workmen to Germany to "relieve" the skilled workers the army left in factories and send them to Germany. The government balked at the proposal.

The present campaign is to send workmen to Germany in whole crews with measures contemplated to send them for fixed periods, at the end of which they would be relieved by other crews from the same French factory or industry.

It was not to be assumed, however, that workmen drafted under the present law would be shipped to Germany.

It was quite possible on the contrary that the draft would be the workmen's alternative to going there. In this regard the clause required able-bodied adult males to prove that they were doing "useful

36 Receive Third Degree at K. of C. Ceremonies Here

Class Honored with Banquet following Initiation Exercises

A class of thirty-six candidates was initiated into the Third Degree of the Knights of Columbus Sunday afternoon in SS. Peter and Paul hall, Fayette street. The members of the class are residents of Cumberland, Frostburg, Westernport, Mt. Savage and Hagerstown.

In the evening a banquet was served at the K. of C. home, North Mechanic street, in honor of the class. Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., was toastmaster.

Addresses Mark Banquet
Addresses were given by Ambrose J. Ryland, grand knight of the local council; Edward J. Conway, Mt. Savage, district deputy; Frank A. Wolfe, past state deputy and past grand knight, who spoke on "Our New Members"; the Rev. Father William Kelly, Westminster; and Joseph Loeffler, Baltimore, state deputy, who spoke on "Columbianism."

The Rev. W. Joyce Russell, council chaplain; the Rev. Francis J. McKeown; the Rev. Joseph P. Lane, Mt. Savage; and the Rev. Dominic Bonomo, Frostburg, attended the ceremonies.

Other K. of C. officials who attended were Raymond Pannon, grand knight, Mt. Savage council; John L. Casey, grand knight, Frostburg council; Charles J. Laughlin, grand knight, Piedmont, W. Va. council; Elden Clark, grand knight, Hagerstown council; Francis O'Donnell, Harrisburg, Pa. council.

Patrick A. Kennedy, past state deputy, Pennsylvania; Victor Machony, past state deputy, Maryland; and Rush H. Farrell, past state deputy, West Virginia.

Those Initiated
Those who were initiated into the Third Degree were Paul Divico, Paul Bosley, Leo Ruppert, Raymond C. Lakin, Charles Sachs, Franklin C. Pannone, Edward Meoni, Leo Barkman, Frank M. Kastner, Henry P. Kelly, John M. Farrell, Mary Cornachi, all of Cumberland.

George C. Cleaver, Louis W. Nasser, Cyril J. Laffey, Edward Welsh, Jerome Laffey, John A. Schaeffer, all of Westernport; Charles Paletta, Frank Peretti, John Dundon, Leo J. Keating, William Kelly, all of Frostburg.

Patrick Purbough, Charles J. Cunningham, Francis J. Mulligan, Patrick J. Sullivan, all of Mt. Savage; Michael T. Gerula, Thomas F. Donegan, Francis P. Ward, John H. McCoy, Louis J. Oberlie, John J. Ulrich, Frank T. McMahon, William J. Ryan, and the Rev. Martin Schmitt, all of Hagerstown.

The committee on arrangements comprised Frank H. Barley, J. Henry Wolfe, Robert A. Davis, Joseph A. Coleman, George F. McDermott and Harry I. Stegmayer was organized during the ceremonies.

Cumberland Goes

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volunteer carrying a Japanese parol. To the parol handed to the worker by a little girl, was tied a note which read, "This parol came from Japan. Please send the steel in its back in the form of bullets."

Up on Hill Top drive, ten little boys, none of them weighing more than seventy-five or eighty pounds, collected a pile of scrap from all over the neighborhood. They worked all day Saturday and Sunday.

And then, just to complete the job, they went to a neighborhood grocer, borrowed his panel-body truck, loaded the scrap and brought it to the scrap heap. They just couldn't wait.

Girl Gives Tin Foil
Over on Paca street, a little girl stopped Charles P. Heller and gave him a box of tin-foil she had spent a year collecting.

A. R. Douglas, an 89-year-old retired carpenter sent in a large tin of tins. He said they would be worth more as guns than they would be to him.

A knife and a button showed up in the collection. Each had a note attached. The button was from a uniform worn by Phil Hamilton and the knife was used by Harold Stemple Hamilton. Both saw service in France in 1917 and 1918. The notes attached asked that they be made into ammunition and sent back.

A silver cup, bearing the name of F. Brooke Whiting, was found in the scrap pile. The inscription showed that Whiting won the cup in a golf tournament at Cumberland Country Club in 1920.

Helmet Donated Twice!
Victor Shaffer gave his old World war helmet and a youngster appropriated it from the pile of scrap.

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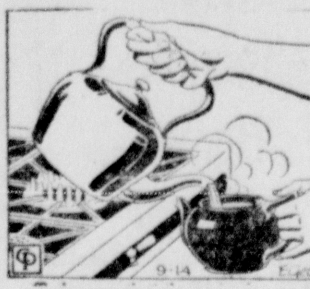
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To be sure that the water is actually at a bubbling boil when poured on the dry leaves when making tea, bring the teapot to the kettle instead of taking the kettle off the stove to the teapot. Keep kettle on the flame while pouring water into the pot. The difference between actively boiling and not quite boiling water is often the difference between a good and a bad cup of tea.

Shaffer saw the lad with it and returned it to the scrap heap. So it was donated twice.

The local American Legion post, late last night, took down two German Spandau machine guns and a number of 135 calibre shells, all prized war relics from their trophy room.

Old iron beds, pots and pans, gas and oil stoves, pipe, automobile parts, old printing presses, metal toys of every kind, rubber tires, hose and other goods, lamps, vacuum cleaners, irons, electric fans, metal refrigerators, and even a brand new slot machine helped swell the pile of scrap. And then there was plenty of stuff that can be described only as just plain junk.

W. Donald Smith, chairman of the drive said last night that it was a job well done. "The people of Cumberland can be proud of themselves and of each other," he exclaimed. "In fact," he said, "it makes me doubly proud to be a Cumberlander when I look at that scrap pile." Smith said he wished there was some way to thank every individual who helped.

Others To Be Collected

And even with all the work that was done, all the junk wasn't brought in. Out on Schade's Lane there is a two-ton piece of metal, that fifteen men couldn't lift into a truck. Over on Willow Brook road there is an old truck and 400 feet of pipe. This junk will be picked up today or tomorrow. A few places may have been missed in the collection, but not intentionally, and any persons who have junk to contribute are urged to take it to the rolling mill scrap pile.

Through the cooperation of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad officials here, work will begin today on the task of loading the scrap into railroad cars for immediate shipment to mills. Proceeds from the scrap will be divided between the USO and the Red Cross.

William Rafter

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were John Alday, Bernard V. McGreevy, Earl Berkenbaugh, A. R. Douglas, Robert Danner, R. E. Simmons, Leonard Kenny and Frank Mackert.

Honorary pallbearers were Victor Alderton, J. R. Snyder, H. V. Parker, R. F. Sheppard, H. H. Doak, Royer L. Groves, Howard Hirsch, Jennings Milburn and Francis Schultz.

Mrs. Lelia Ervin Rites

Final rites for Mrs. Lelia Catherine Ervin, 76, who died Friday morning, after several years of illness, were held yesterday afternoon at the home of her son, Charles A. Barringer, 420 Louisiana avenue. The Rev. Edwin W. Saylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiated. Selections were sung by a quartet from the church. Interment was in Hillcrest Burial Park.

The pallbearers were Edgar Reynolds, William J. Edwards, James Orr, Daniel W. Brown, Claude Hardy and Earl Murray.

AFL Membership Totals 5,482,581

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 (AP)—The American Federation of Labor reported today that its total dues-paid membership at the close of its fiscal year Aug. 31 was 5,482,581, representing the highest enrollment in its history and a gain of 913,525 over the previous year.

"These figures include only dues-paid members in good standing," said a statement by George Meany, secretary-treasurer.

Boy Struck by Car Saturday Reported in "Fair" Condition

William James Edmondson, 9 son of Mrs. Carrie A. Edmondson, 528 Greene street, was struck by an automobile driven by Lawrence R. Zinn, 24 Monroe street, Saturday afternoon.

Officer J. H. Sticher, who investigated the accident, said Zinn was traveling west on Greene street, and doing twenty miles an hour, according to Robert Bantz, riding with Zinn, when the Edmondson lad suddenly ran from behind a parked car. The boy was reported in a "fair" condition last night at the hospital.

With Our Boys In the Service

Linnie C. Sturtevant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Sturtevant, 504 Central avenue, has been promoted to sergeant at Tyndall Field, Panama City, Fla., after completing five weeks of intensive training to qualify as an expert aerial gunner with the Army Air Forces.

Second Lieut. Clarence W. Owens, 112 Pennsylvania avenue, has been promoted to first lieutenant at Camp Stewart, Ga. He was promoted to his new rank on the recommendation of his battery commander.

Warren H. Eyer, pharmacist mate, third class, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth E. Eyer, Park Heights. He is stationed at Portsmouth, Va., at the United States Naval Hospital.

Francis Gallagher, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Gallagher, Mount Savage, received word Thursday that he has been promoted to sergeant at Camp McPherson, Atlanta, Georgia. He is spending a ten-day leave with his parents.

Joseph Sudine, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Sudine, Luke, who has just finished a six weeks training course at the Naval Training Station at Illinois, is home on furlough.

Private Joseph P. Ruffo, Frostburg, is home on a ten-day furlough from Camp Jackson, S. C., where he had been stationed since his enlistment early in April.

Mr. and Mrs. William Henry, 614 North Centre street, received word from their son, Cpl. Edward C. Henry, that he has been made senior drill instructor in the Marine Corps, Parris Island, S. C.

James Wesley Douglas yesterday was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army following graduation from Officers' Candidate School, Fort Monmouth, N. J.

James F. Duncan, Clarksburg, W. Va., former Cumberland tobacco salesman, has been promoted to storekeeper, second class, at the Norfolk Navy Yard.

Ellsworth Rosenmarkle, former instructor at Mexico Farms airport, stationed at Maxwell Field, Ala., is receiving primary instructor's training after which he will be commissioned.

sioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Service.

Mrs. Harry Dicken, Valley road, received word that her son, Homer Paul Dicken, has been transferred to California from Bremerton, Wash.

Glenn Mick Shaffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Shaffer, Hyndman, Pa., has been promoted to sergeant at the Savannah Air Base, Hunter Field, Savannah, Ga.

Private Oscar E. Willard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Willard, 409 Grand avenue, has been transferred from Fort McClelland, Ala. to the Army Air Base, Richmond, Va.

John A. Malloy, Jr., seaman first class, U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Malloy, 300 Magruder street, has been transferred from Port Huena, near Hollywood, Cal. to Treasure Island, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Robinette, 511 Woodside avenue, have received word of the safe arrival at an undisclosed overseas station of their son, Francis H. Robinette.

Women Golfers To Play Second Round Matches

The second round of the fall tournament of the Women's Golf Association of the Cumberland Country Club for the first and second flights will be played today, tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday. The weekly luncheon meeting will be held at 12:30 o'clock tomorrow.

Mrs. Fred Mills defeated Mrs. Amy Cowherd six and five yesterday.

Saturday Mrs. Henry A. Mackey defeated Mrs. Walter C. Capper, one up at the nineteenth, to reach the semi-finals of the first flight. Mrs. Frederic Eller reached the second flight finals with a six and four victory over Mrs. A. Taylor Smith.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters Testamentary on the estate of Harry Irvine, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 21st day of February, 1943. They may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 21st day of August, 1942.

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EIGHT BIRTHS ARE REPORTED BY HOSPITALS

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Delaney, 219 South Lee street, announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, in Allegany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley F. Kern, Cresaptown, announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, in Allegany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Adams, Mt. Savage, announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, in Allegany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Shroat, 512 Rose Hill avenue, announce the birth of a daughter, Saturday, in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shipley, Valley road, announce the birth of a daughter, Saturday afternoon, in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd M. Hershberger, Bedford, Pa., announce the birth of a daughter, Saturday morning, in Allegany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Hill, 619 Shriver avenue, announce the birth of a son, Saturday night, in Allegany hospital.

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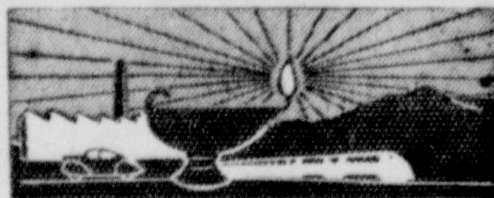
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The Grave Impending Menace to Government

MARK SULLIVAN has frequently given warning of the most serious danger faced by legislative government. This is, as history plainly shows, that when the legislative branch weakens and fails to do its duty, opportunity is laid wide open for dictatorship and eventual destruction of the parliamentary system. That warning he repeats with added emphasis now that our own legislative body, having failed to function as it should function, is threatened with a dead-line assumption of dictatorial powers by the executive in bringing about long-delayed action on the rising menace of ruinous wartime inflation.

Congress is not solely to blame for this serious and critical situation. There has been just indignation against Mr. Roosevelt for having failed to carry out his duties of national leadership. This, as the *New York Herald Tribune* points out, has been shown particularly in his failure to equalize the duties and obligations of capital and labor, and in his allowing Secretary Morgenthau to submit piddling, political tax plans. But it holds Congress chiefly to blame in not taking the lead in war measures.

Of these two things, the *Herald Tribune* believes the latter to be the more weighty "for the simple reason that Congress had the power—and the duty—to force the president to take necessary war measures. If the president can be charged with playing politics through failing to take the lead in bringing about the adoption of such measures as the control of wages and the elimination of strikes, Congress is open to charges that are even more serious. The fact that the president failed to show constructive leadership does not absolve Congress from blame for its own shortcomings." It does not, indeed.

"What, specifically, are these shortcomings?" the *Herald Tribune* asks and answers, "First, that it failed to pass legislation requiring the president to put a ceiling on wages and to outlaw strikes for the duration; second, that in the face of the president's repeated urgings to do so, it failed to hold farm prices down to parity; third, that in the face of the completely unsatisfactory tax proposals put forward by the administration, it failed to establish a sound tax basis of its own. In addition it has showed every indication of thinking of the November elections ahead of war needs, and it has, in general, acted timidly, without realizing that the country has been far ahead of it."

"To cry 'dictation' to the president's ultimatum is easy. In normal times it would be hard to answer. But what the obstructionists fail to realize is that in the midst of the most desperate war which this country has been in since 1865 the nation not only has entrusted emergency powers to the president but it looks to him for affirmative action and leadership."

"It does not, of course, expect him to override the constitution. Nothing that he has said indicates that this is his intention. Despite the disputes that have arisen in past wars as to the emergency powers of the president, they are, in general, very large."

"But if Congress, through willful inaction due to resentment against Mr. Roosevelt's methods, were to deny him those powers which he now needs for the successful prosecution of the war, that denial would go vastly farther to discredit Congress and to weaken congressional government than has his demand that the necessary legislation be passed without further delay."

And thus is marked in bold relief the menace to our tripartite system of federal government to which Mr. Sullivan now gives attention and reiterated warning. Let it be hoped that the Congress will have the wits to sense this menace and to act accordingly.

Free Enterprise And the War

IN A NOTEWORTHY ADDRESS to the National Institute for Commercial and Trade Organization Executives at Chicago, Thurman W. Arnold, assistant attorney general of the United States, said that the country cannot maintain its prosperity after the war unless it returns to free competition and unrestricted production.

Arnold praised the automobile industry for its strenuous campaigns to get new business and improve its product. He went so far as to say that this country invited war by so limiting production as to persuade the enemy to believe that the productive capacity of the country was permanently impaired.

There is much in the Arnold view, but there is more in it than he mentioned. One of the main reasons why the country failed to use its productive capacity during the ten years preceding the war was the seizure of profits by the federal government. These profits were diverted from improvements in

plant and processes and campaigns for new markets, into a fantastic experiment in state socialism.

Thus industry was assailed two ways—by raids on its expansion resources and threats to the whole system of free enterprise on which American supremacy depends.

If the people can liberate industry from the army of pay roll riders and regulators, while at the same time they are winning the war for national safety, the country will prosper enormously in the postwar world rehabilitation.

Christmas Gifts For Our Fighters

THE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS seem a long way off, in fact they are almost a third of the year in the future, yet in consideration of a number of wartime conditions they really are not.

In one important particular the holiday season is right ahead of us. This concerns gifts meant for members of the armed forces serving outside the continental United States.

A bulletin has been issued by the Post Office department pointing out that Christmas mail for the service men in other lands should be mailed by October 1. The reason is obvious. Delivery overseas takes a long time and is uncertain. What is more, shipping space is limited. Packages can no longer catch the first train or boat. They may have to wait.

Because of the value of space, the department sets down certain instructions about these Christmas gifts. The package should be kept small—about the size of a shoe box and weighing no more than six pounds. Perishables, food and clothing should not be sent. Above all, the gifts should be in stout containers, well wrapped and tightly secured as they may have to take a lot of punishment.

It is well to remember that our service men are the world's champion letter-writers and that they like Christmas remembrances, too, especially when so far away from home. Nothing more need be said.

The Japanese are reported to be building artificial islands out of strips of bamboo. An ersatz isle is no place to be in a hurricane—especially one composed of United States Marines.

Hottest tip of the season: Put your dough on War Bonds to win, place and show—win the war, put the Japs in their place and show Hitler the way out.

This certainly has become a mass production world. Now we're getting even history in wholesale lots.

The Browser's Bookshelf

By MARSHALL MASLIN

At least once a week the Browser meets some man or woman who says, "I don't want to read any more about the war." I'm fed up with it. Give me a good novel to get my mind away from it." Before all such gentlefolk the Browser freezes, in his own snobbish way, and refuses the names of any "good novels." Because, after all, he is unable to make any distinction between non-fiction and fiction. The best in each category approach each other in interest.

A first-rate book of fiction is the highest form of fact, and the best non-fiction must be as fascinatingly adventurous as any novel. So far, the Browser has read no war fiction that can be compared with the best books he has read by men who have been in this war and have come home to write about it. A book like Tolstoy's "War and Peace" comes only once in a century but an honest and accurate piece of reporting is a more frequent phenomenon.

So, take Howard K. Smith's "Last Train from Berlin" (Knopf), which is equal in interest to William Shirer's "Berlin Diary" and in some respects is more penetrating in its analysis of the German scene and mind. Mr. Smith was a Berlin correspondent and announcer. He was still in—young and sensitive. He was honest and he contracted a severe and persisting case of the "Berlin Blues"; but he hung on to the bitter end which came on December 7, and he was the last American correspondent to leave Germany a free man. The Nazis would like to have kept him but were also glad to see him go. Because while Smith was in Germany he kept his inquisitive mind alert and kept his eyes and ears open and asked too many questions; and when he reached Switzerland where he is now, he wrote a book which drove toward this conclusion:

"Something has happened to the German people. A change of almost revolutionary proportions has occurred underneath the surface of the Nazi state, among the broad masses of the people. The people have lost their roots in the existing state. When a state ceases to serve the needs and likes of the majority of its people, then it is ripe for revolution. In 1933, when Hitler came to power, he was closely tied to a vast number of people; the wealthy and the broad middle classes and a small, very small fraction of the workers. Year by year, his ties to the people have been attenuated. He paid attention to their affairs less and less as he built up his army. Today no Nazi leaders of any importance, except the police and Goebbels, have any interest in the affairs of the people. Nazism today is a hard petrified hull around a coreless fruit, or one which is rotten inside."

Smith is not implying that revolution is imminent in Germany. The great dissatisfied group in Germany is the dispossessed middle class—which can gain nothing from victory and less than nothing from defeat—but it has no leadership. It is an unhappy, frightened and disintegrated mass which never had any heart for this war, and hardly any stomach for bloody conquests.

Helen Reilly, John Kieran's sister, is a mystery contriver in her own right. They die all over the place in "Name Your Poison" (Random House) but they do die convincingly and Mrs. Reilly ties up her threads with satisfying precision.

Because Emma Dreilbeis forgot to take two dollars worth of schnitz to market her fierce husband Jacob flew into a rage and swore he would never speak to her again. That's the beginning of Mildred Jordan's "Apple in the Attic: A Pennsylvania Legend" (Knopf), an honest tale of Miss Jordan's Pennsylvania Dutch neighbors. It's more than honest; it has power and skillful characterization. That's enough from Marshall Maslin.

THE BROWSER.

Rayburn Scores House Absentees-- From His Home!

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON—Speaker Sam Rayburn, of the national House of Representatives, gave Congress a good bawling out the other day for the fashion in which its members have neglected their legislative duties in order to be at home campaigning for reelection in November.

It really has been a good bit of scandal. If ever there was an emergency imperatively requiring the lawmakers' presence in Washington, it generally is agreed that this one pre-eminently is it.

Without a Quorum

Yet, for weeks past, the two branches on Capitol Hill have been pretty persistently without a quorum apiece to settle controverted questions. Business can be transacted even without one, provided no member in actual attendance raises the no-quorum issue, but somebody invariably does if any serious difference of opinion is involved, in which event, assuming that the required number of solons fail to answer the roll call, the argument has to go over until later on.

This has happened right along. It always does happen with election days approaching, but now's a particularly bad time. Of course, absentees can be summoned by wire but they don't always respond, and delay is involved, anyway.

Too Much at Stake

Administration managers, like Speaker Rayburn, don't consider delay pardonable at such a juncture as today's. Being practical politicians, they understand the reason for it, and perhaps have a certain amount of sympathy for a candidate in some doubtful balliwick, where he's urgently needed on the job, spellbinding the voters. Still, they think this is a situation for personal interests to be forgotten, with the whole world's future at stake.

Speaker Rayburn's ebullient broadcast with President Roosevelt's broadcast on the subject of inflation, wages and farm prices, including a warning in Congress to get busy concerning 'em inside three weeks, or (by implication) that he'll have to act executive, presumably by proclamation.

Opposite View

Among such congressmen as were available in Washington, to express themselves, directly, following the presidential talk, several ventured the opinion that this sounded pretty dictatorial.

In this judgment Speaker Rayburn by no means concurs. His thesis is that Congress will do well to tend to its knitting if it doesn't want to be supplanted. He knows as well as anybody, naturally, that the legislators have been in a kind of informal recess. They couldn't officially adjourn in the midst of a crisis of present proportions, but, just as between themselves, they compromised on ducking home individually to electioneer, leaving "no-quorums" to maintain the status-quo while they were gone.

Not Official

It's been a recess that wasn't officially a recess. Rayburn imperatively summoned 'em back to Washington.

That they never ought to have been gone is the widely-voiced judgment. Sam rubbed it in vigorously.

Just to illustrate—President Roosevelt's bi-partisan challenge to Congress was referred on Capitol Hill to the Senate and the representatives' Banking committees, but their respective chairmen, Senator Robert F. Wagner and Representative Henry B. Steagall, both were absent—just to demonstrate the type of statesmen who were home (or somewhere else) precisely then, when you might suppose they'd have been at the keyhole well in advance.

The Speaker in Texas!

Nevertheless, Speaker Rayburn

HEADS CHINA RELIEF

Dr. James L. McConaughy, 54, president of Wesleyan university, Middletown, Conn., since 1925, was elected president of United China Relief, at a meeting of the organization's board of directors in New York.

Dr. McConaughy has received a year's leave of absence from the university.



The gems moonstone, star sapphire and cat's eye, all possess a moving light—a moving line of three crossed lines. They are believed by Orientals to be gems of good luck.

WHAT A PLACE FOR A WASTE PAPER SALVAGE CAMPAIGN



Doom-Peddlers Are Knocked Sidewise By Baruch Committee's Rubber Report

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—In an academic way, without providing a public exhibition, the Baruch report fairly well paddled Mr. Leon Henderson and the other negative-thinking crack - d o w n, doom - peddlers, who have been filling the air and the newspapers, for nine long months, with their "can't" chants.

Henderson, for instance, has been talking and thinking in terms of 20,000,000 civilian cars going off the road, leaving only 7,000,000 in operation. He is not the worst of the negating neomancers, most of whom have kept their identity anonymous, while publicly predicting government seizure of cars and tires.

They were inclined to look at the motor car through twenty-year-old glasses as a luxury. They saw only trouble ahead to be met by further and further denials by the people.

Now comes the Baruch report, like a ray of realistic light. It looks straight at the civilian automobile as a transportation necessity, without which we will lose the war.

It proposes a policy to keep cars running, and holds out hopes that they will continue indefinitely in service, if rubber use is conserved by gas-rationing until synthetic rubber production comes in big.

It is neither rosey nor melancholy. It says we "can."

One official exception to this between-the-lines lashing was implied by the report. In general, it took somewhat the same line as WPB Transportation Co-ordinator Eastman's unpublished and suppressed report on the same problem.

Mr. Eastman is car over everything on wheels in this country now, including the automobile, although no one seems to know it, particularly the Office of Price Administration. His report was lost in the shuffle of inter-bureau conferences, as well as his authority over motor cars.

Taken Over

The OPA just stepped in and took over. Primarily, Eastman wanted to give gas for essential needs, and he wanted a general overall control plan, such as Baruch has suggested.

The Baruch report thus seemed to point an unobserved finger in the general direction of Mr. Eastman, who already has the authority (he got it by executive order weeks ago), as well as the proper theories. (The Baruch committee had access to his unpublished report), to direct policy-making on auto use.

Of course, the rubber "Czar" Baruch suggested would be a rubber production business man concerned only with that phase.

They are saying national gas rationing will be put into effect in a few weeks, but they mean a few months. Not only the printing of rationing cards will hold them back. They will need a new and different system than that in effect in the East and it will have to be worked out carefully.

Different in West

Basically, the eastern system gives four gallons a week to everyone who has a car, whether or not he has any real use for either the gas

or the car. This is a passable arrangement in the East, where distances are short, bus transportation good. It leaves enough gas for essential business needs.

Out in the great open spaces, the problem is different. Four gallons is not enough for anyone who must go any place, and too much for the small town residents who live within a few blocks of everything.

Need should be the only yardstick. A new system will have to be instituted for fairer distribution. A good guess is that this may take sixty or ninety days.

The announcement of the American Automobile Association (representative of the motorist) that the Baruch report is a "realistic document" is a fairly good indication that it will meet little resistance from the automobile owner.

First To Protest

The AAA was the first organization to come forward publicly, with a protest against the government tendency to consider the automobile a luxury, and urging an affirmative policy (advocated earlier in this column) to provide as much auto transportation as possible.

Now if Mr. Baruch will only straighten out the confusing draft policy and speeches, and level them down to an affirmative basis of meeting the utmost requirements of civilian life, consonant with the necessity of doubling the size of the army, and do the same thing with the economic policy and production, the whole of war government will be switched from the initial "crack-down, doom is coming" negations (which were necessary in the first phase of a hurried war start) to a common-sense, affirmative, efficient, permanent war basis.

"To be sure, the government appeal agents may advise the registrants to appeal to the courts where legal error has taken place. However, few of the registrants are in a position so to do financially, and in any event, most of them would fear that the assertion of their legal rights would be considered as evidence of a lack of patriotism."

Good Will Factor

"That the old system was productive of good will will be revealed in the number of instances in which the president (the national headquarters) reversed appeal boards, and local boards. In a case which I took to the president twice, he twice reversed the appeal board and the local board."

"While the state director now has authority to allocate quotas on the basis of available manpower, and while national headquarters is also attempting to allocate quotas on a definite 1-A basis, this latter attempt will probably take ninety days as a minimum to work out, and in the meantime these new regulations will be in effect. . . .

"We can only hope that the state director will allow appeals to be taken where the appeal board is clearly in error and where a precedent by the president would be desirable. My hope is not strong."

The foregoing letter is selected out of many letters complaining that the draft system is not being administered fairly. A large number comes from government appeal agents, who certainly ought to know the regulations and the details of the system better than laymen.

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Memorandum by Hershey

"Two weeks or more ago General Hershey issued a memorandum stating that many of these appeals lacked proper basis and caused unnecessary delays in the functioning of the system. Gen. Hershey stressed that the appeal should be used with careful attention to its primary function which is to redress any serious error or miscarriage of justice affecting either the registrant, his claimed dependents, or the national interest," he said:

"The appeal to the president, is not to be used for the purpose of establishing precedents, to accomplish wholesale classification by another classification agency, or to settle disputes growing out of natural and unavoidable variation of viewpoints among the members of local boards and boards of appeal."

"Almost before the ink was dry on this memorandum, and certainly before the government appeal agents could adapt themselves to it, the regulations have been changed and the right of the government appeal agent to take an appeal or to recommend that the registrant be given the right to appeal has been taken away."

On Dissent Only

"Now an appeal can be taken by the registrant or a dependent only if one or more members of the board of appeals dissented from the classification appealed from. If the government appeal agent is convinced that it is to the interest of the United States or necessary in order to avoid great and unusual hardship to the dependents of the registrant, he may file a request that the state director appeal to the president. If the state director is convinced that an appeal should be taken, it may be taken. If not, no appeal will be allowed."

"It may be apparent that this is a further whittling down of the rights of the registrant, and undoubtedly a hastening of his transference from civil to military life. The state director and the local boards are under pressure to raise military manpower, and consciously or unconsciously their decision will err on that side rather than on the side of the registrant."

Maryland Farm Musings

By the Extension Service of the University of Maryland

Grow as many legumes as possible to manufacture nitrogen from the air and store it away in the soil for other crops that follow.

Maryland turkey growers are expected to raise more birds than last year, according to the August 1 survey of the Maryland Crop Reporting Service. The indicated 417,000 birds is three percent more than last year's production.

It is advisable to can tomatoes broken rather than whole this year, says Miss Margaret McPheeters, specialist in foods and nutrition for the extension service, because there are so many white, hard spots inside the tomatoes which may cause spoilage of the canned product. The tomato may look perfect on the outside, she states, but when it is cut through the spots show and some of them are quite deep. All of this white should be cut out before canning.

Unfavorable weather for curing hay, such as prevailed this year, often tempts farmers growing alfalfa to make late cuttings in order to provide adequate hay supplies, says John W. Magruder, specialist in agronomy for the University of Maryland Extension Service. This practice, he states, generally results in less total hay production over a period of years because late cutting lowers root reserves and weakens the plants, often leading to winter killing and destruction of the stand.

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Narrowed Appeal In Draft System Is Deemed Unfair

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The right of appeal in the Selective Service system has been narrowed, and many government appeal agents do not think a fair deal on this point is being given either the registrant or a dependent relative who may seek to file an appeal to national headquarters.

An appeal to the president is usually handled by national Selective Service headquarters, so that in effect the denial of an appeal to registrants can mean that there is no appeal beyond the local organizations. The new situation is described in a letter from a government appeal agent.

"Originally an appeal could be taken to the president (national headquarters) only if one or more members of the appeal board functioning in an appeal should dissent," the letter states. "This was so unjust to the registrant and so productive of discrimination and preference, that the regulations were changed so that the government appeal agent could take an appeal upon the recommendation of the government appeal agent even where the appeal board was unanimous. This made for uniformity and more nearly constituted that air and impartial method which the act calls for."

Memorandum by Hershey

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DeMille Theater Returns to Air Network Tonight

Tyrone Power and Barbara Stanwyck Will Be in the Leads

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD
NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The Cecil B. de Mille Radio Theater, back on CBS after a summer vacation for its ninth season, is returning Monday night on the networks into its full category of drama. The show is at its usual time, 9 o'clock.

In starting things off for 1942-43, Tyrone Power and Barbara Stanwyck are to be co-starred in "This Above All," love story of a British soldier and a hero of Dunkirk.

In place of the previously scheduled Cavalcade of American drama on NBC at 8 o'clock, there is to be an address by Joseph C. Grew, former ambassador to Japan. It is made in connection with the award of an army-navy E at Bridgeport, Conn.

Verse Drama
David Ross, the announcer, has turned out a symbolic verse drama, "Proclaim the Morning," which the Columbia Workshop will present on the eastern half of the CBS network at 10:30. The poem is designed to arouse Americans to the needs of wartime.

Big Sister, daytime serial on CBS at 12:15 p. m., is beginning its seventh year.
Marian Anderson is the guest soloist for the Don Voorhees concert on NBC at 9. She is listed to sing at least in three numbers.
Sen. Claude Pepper, of Florida, is to discuss the poll tax in an MBS talk at 8:15.

Listings by Networks

NBC—12:15 p. m. Words and Music; 2:45 p. m. Hymns of All Churches; 6:30 Music for Brazil; 7:45 Kallenberg comments; 8:30 Margaret Speaks, soprano; 9:30 Doc I. Q. quizzier; 10 Contended concert; 10:30 Lands of the Free, Simon Bolivar.

CBS—1:45 The Goldbergs; 3:30 Exploring Music; 4:30 Giants of Freedom; 6:30 Frank Parker's singers; 7:30 (West 10:30) Vaughn Monroe orchestra; 8 Vox Poppers from Aberdeen, Md., proving grounds; 10 Freddy Martin orchestra; 11:15 Dance variety and news.

BLUE—12:30 p. m. Farm and Home program; 3:30 p. m. Men of the Sea; 4:30 Award of Army-Navy E; 7 The Major, comedy; 7:30 Lone Ranger drama; 8:30 True or False; 9 Counter Spy; 9:30 Joe Rines orchestra; 10:15 Alina John Freedom.

MBS—2:30 United States Naval Academy Band; 3:30 Shady Valley Folks; 4:30 Racing at Aqueduct; 6 War commentary; 7:30 Red Ryder drama; 8:30 Bulldog Drummond Adventures; 9:30 The Better Half, quiz; 11:30 Radio Newsreel from London.

The Radio Clock

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

Eastern War Time P. M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT, 2 hrs. for MWT.

(Alterations in programs as listed due entirely to changes by networks.)

4:45—To Be Announced (15 m.)—nbc Secret City, Dramatic Serial—bu The Ben Bernie Musical Show—nbc Dance Orchestra for 15 min.—mbs

6:00—Denver's String Orchestra—nbc Ten Minutes of News; Musicale—nbc The Blue Scream Rhythm—nbc-Dixie Baseball Rhythmic in Vocals—mbs

6:30—Billy Grant the Vocalist—nbc Song Clinic, Patty & Bob—bu-east Jack Armstrong in repeat—bu-west Frank Parker's Program—nbc-Dixie Blue Scream Continued—nbc-Dixie The War Overseas; Danon Ore.—mbs

6:45—Bill Stern and Sports Spot—nbc Lowell Thomas on News—bu-basic The Three Ringers Song—bu-west War and World News of Today—nbc

7:00—Fred Waring's Time—nbc-east The Major, a Dramatic Comedy—bu Amos and Andy's Sketch—nbc-basic Fulton Lewis, Jr. & Comment—mbs

7:15—War News from the World—nbc Mary Small, Songs (15 minutes)—nbc The Johnson Family; a Serial—mbs

7:30—Dinning Sisters, Vocal Trio—nbc Lone Ranger Drama in repeat—bu Vaughn Monroe Orchestra—nbc-east Today's War and You—nbc-east Fighting Cowboy Drama Series—mbs

7:45—Kallenberg and Comment—nbc 8:00—The Cavalcade of America—nbc Earl Godwin's War Broadcast—bu

8:15—Vox Pop by Parks and Warren—nbc 8:30—The Fred Waring repeat—nbc-west Dance Music Orchestras (15 min.)—bu

8:45—Alfred Wallenstein's 'Conc—nbc True or False and Dr. Hagen—bu The Gay Nineties Revue—nbc-basic Bulldog Drummond Adventures—mbs

8:55—Five-Minute News Period—nbc 9:00—Voorhees Concert & Guest—nbc Counter Spy, Drama of the War—bu

9:15—Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs Cecil B. de Mille Radio Theater—nbc Gabriel Heatter Speaking—mbs-basic

9:30—Doc I. Q. & Quiz Queries—nbc Joe Rines Orchestra & Songs—bu The Better Half, Quiz Program—mbs

9:55—Mollases & January Skit—bu 10:00—Contended Concert Orchestras—nbc Comment on Here and Abroad—bu

10:15—Alina John Freedom, Drama—bu Dean Pardue on "Our Morale"—mbs 10:30—Lands of the Free Series—nbc

Columbia Workshop Drama—nbc-east Vaughn Monroe in repeat—nbc-west Paul Schubert's War Analysis—mbs 10:45—To Be Announced (15 m.)—bu

INSPIRATION FOR WAR SONG



A recruiting sergeant's remark that "you're too old to go over there" combined with three bugle notes from an Army band gave George M. Cohan the inspiration for the popular war song, "Over There." The scene is re-enacted with James Cagney as Cohan in "Yankee Doodle Dandy," currently at the Strand theater.

ROCKING AMERICA WITH LAUGHTER



Marjorie Main, ZaSu Pitts and Aline MacMahon take time out to be forest rangers in this scene from M-G-M's comedy-romance, "Tish," starting Wednesday at the Maryland theater. The film is based in part on stories by Mary Roberts Rinehart.

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Theaters Today

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A call went out from Warner Brothers' studio that hasn't been heard at Hollywood's Central Casting Bureau for quite some time.

It was for thirty-six chorus girls who really could dance, and dance fast. None were to be under five feet or more than five feet three inches tall. Each had to be able to do the 100-yard dash in under twelve seconds and execute a high kick with either foot and go back to a perfectly balanced starting position in one-fifth of a second.

The girls were to work with James Cagney and other principals in "Yankee Doodle Dandy," the

story of George M. Cohan, now playing at the Strand. According to Leroy Prins and Johnny Boyle, who directed the dozen or more dance numbers, Cohan always insisted on having the fastest chorus line that could possibly be assembled. Sheer facial and bodily beauty came secondary.

Lana Turner Finally Cast as a "Working Girl"

For the first time in her career Lana Turner is a "working girl." In "Somewhere I'll Find You," in which she co-stars with Clark Gable, she is a newspaper woman sent by her

publisher to Indo-China to cover the war. The new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture is currently appearing at the Maryland theater.

Sister was a debutante in "Johnny Eager," the wealthy daughter of the mayor in "Honky Tonk," a languid belle of the 80's in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" and various assorted high school and college kids in her earlier films. She was a show girl

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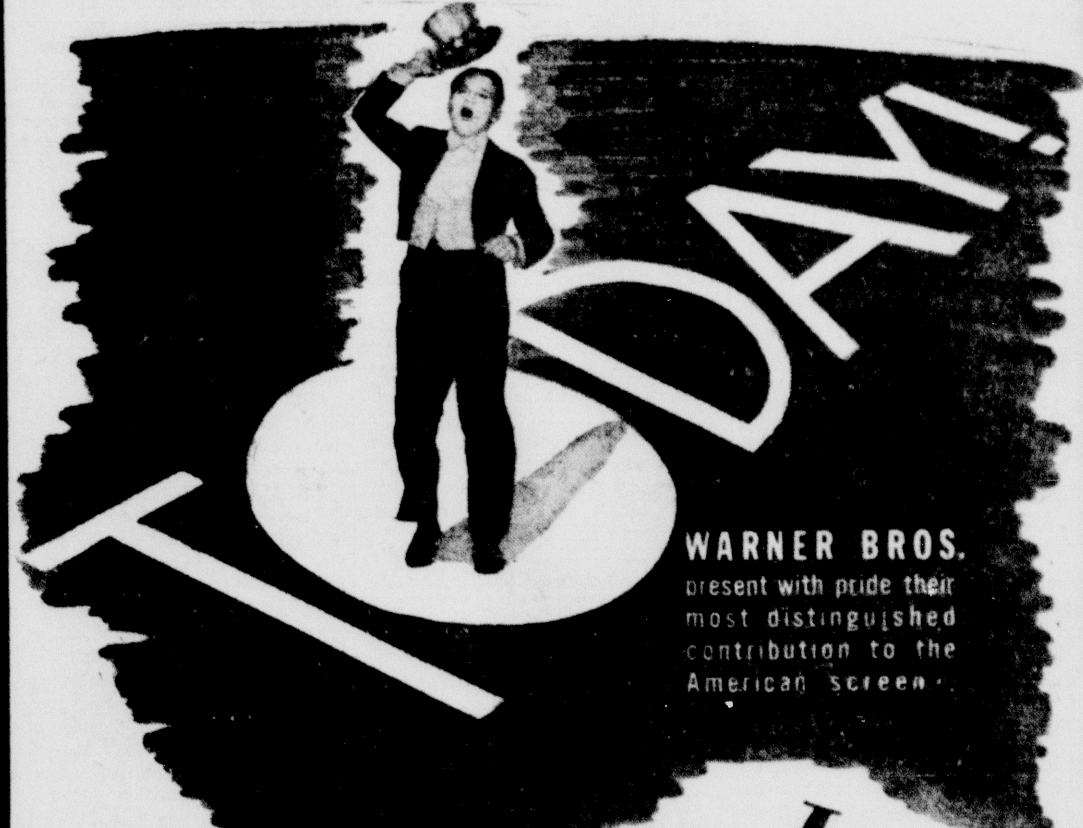
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Social Events and Items of Interest for the Women

Louis Herbert Sell Weds Miss Ellen Rebecca Wise

Announcement of Marriage July 29 Is Made by Bride's Mother

Mrs. Edwin Newton Wise, of Lynchburg, Va., announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Ellen Rebecca Wise, to Louis Herbert Sell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan M. Sell, 126 Fayette street, this city.

The ceremony was performed July 29 at Mt. Ranier, Md.

The bride is a graduate of the Lynchburg high school and Farmville State Teachers college. She is employed by the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce, Washington, D. C.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Allegheny high school, class of 1936, and the Strayer College of Accounting, class of 1939, Washington, D. C. He was employed by the Navy Department at Newport News, Va., before entering military service July 30. He is now stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

MRS. AMERICA 1942



Mrs. Peggy Diehl, Jr., of Mount Vernon, N. Y., wife of a professional diver, won the title of "Mrs. America of 1942" in a contest held at Palisades Park, N. Y. More than 50 beautiful matrons participated.

Mrs. Anna Miller Becomes the Bride Of Eugene Close

Ceremony Is Performed Sept. 5 in SS. Peter and Paul Church

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Anna B. Miller and Eugene F. Close. The ceremony was performed at 5:30 o'clock Nuptial Mass, in SS. Peter and Paul Catholic church, September 5, with the Rev. Valentine Long, O. F. M. Cap., New York City, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Close have returned from Philadelphia, Pa., and Atlantic City, N. J. While in Philadelphia they visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Woltman, Rittenhouse hotel.

The couple is residing at 64 Greene street.

Personals

Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meyers and Miss Jean Meyers, 224 Washington street, will leave today for Hollins, Va., where Miss Meyers will return to Hollins college. Dr. and Mrs. Meyers will spend a few days vacationing in Virginia and West Virginia.

William Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Price, South Allegheny street, is improving in Memorial hospital after undergoing an appendectomy.

Pvt. First Class Albert T. Davis, Camp Livingston, La., is spending a ten day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, 420 Pine avenue.

Walter Eckbreth and Eugene DeLatre, members of the R.O.T.C., Penn State college, State College, Pa., were weekend guests of the former's uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Meyers, 224 Washington street.

Pvt. James Elder has returned to Camp Pickett, Va., after spending the weekend at his home, 204 Washington street.

Pvt. Wyand F. Doerner, of the 1302 Service Unit, Recruit reception center, Fort George G. Meade, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wyand F. Doerner, North Allegheny street.

Mrs. E. S. Brillhart has returned to her home in Baltimore, after visiting the Rev. and Mrs. William A. Elsberger, 222 Washington street.

The Rev. Charles W. Bogan, St. Patrick's rectory, has returned from Washington, D. C., where he was called by the illness of his mother, Raymond Donahue, Bedford road, is a patient in Mercy hospital, Baltimore, where he underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ankeney, LaVale, left yesterday for Tucson, Ariz., where they will spend several months' vacation.

John Manley, Jr., Baltimore, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Manley, 509 Shriver avenue.

Miss Agnes Corrigan, New York, formerly of Cumberland, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. B. Corrigan, 521 Rose Hill avenue.

Sgt. Marvin Kaplan, Morris Field, Charlotte, N. C., is spending a short furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kaplan, 637 Shriver avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. G. X. Berry and daughter, Ruth, are visiting in Cleveland and Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

Miss Mary Manzer, Baltimore, is visiting Miss Angela Manley, 509 Shriver avenue. Miss Manzer is the niece of Theodore R. McKelden, Republican nominee for Governor of Maryland.

Miss Rose Bishop has returned to Larchmont, N. Y., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Bishop, LaVale.

Miss Louise Mattingly, who underwent an appendectomy at Allegheny hospital, has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Mattingly, LaVale.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young, Shriver avenue, are in New York visiting their son, Franklin Young, who has been transferred from Camp Wheeler, Ga., to New York.

Mrs. R. D. Smith, 416 Warwick avenue, is a patient in Memorial hospital, where she underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barnard, McMullen Boulevard, have returned from a weekend in New York.

Mrs. Edward T. Blumenthal, R. N. Detroit, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Trenton, 839 Gephart Drive, left for Des Moines, Ia., to Officers Training School for the W. A. A. C.

Mrs. Margaret Fearer Delaney, wife of Capt. John Leo Delaney, Camp Gordon, Ga., is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Hotchkiss, 235 Aviret avenue.

Donald D. Wagoner, Petty Officer Second Class, U. S. N., has returned to Norfolk Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va., after visiting his wife, the former Miss Mary Hiner, 226 Arch street, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wagoner, Springfield, W. Va.

William E. Sparks of Newport News, Va., employed at Langley Field, Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Sparks, Cash Valley, for several days. He came as far as Washington by plane.

Glenn Guenterberg, grandson of Mrs. Francis Butler, 404 Hill street, has returned home from Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Blackshear have returned to Newport News, Va., after visiting relatives (and friends here this weekend. They

SCHOOL FROCK AND JUMPER



ON THE FASHION MAP are these school dresses of spun celanese. Young student on left wears a navy frock trimmed in white pique embroidered in red yarn. Jumper dress at right is blue with matching blouse.

Speakers Are Announced For WCTU Sessions Here

Convention of Allegheny County Group Will Be Held Here Thursday

The annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Allegheny County will be held Thursday at the First Brethren church, corner of Seymour and Fourth streets, this city. Mrs. John S. Cook, Bowling Green, county president, will preside.

Officers for the ensuing year will be elected at the opening session to be held at 2 o'clock.

The afternoon program will include an address by the Rev. Ralph W. Wott, of the First Methodist church, Frostburg; and Miss Bertha Tyson, Baltimore, state president, will present the "Echoes of Truth" from the National Convention which was held last month in Birmingham, Ala.

Preceding the opening of the convention a county executive meeting will be held at 1:30 o'clock.

At 6 o'clock the ladies of the host church will serve dinner.

Miss Irene Johnson, Piedmont, will give the salute and history of the American flag at the evening session. The Junior Medal contest will also be held at this session.

140 Guests Attend Golf Dinner Here

P. D. Collins Is Toastmaster for Kelly-Celanese Get-together

The members of the staff of the Celanese Corporation of America retained the golf tournament cup for another year at the sixteenth annual get-together of the staff of the Kelly-Springfield Three Company and the Celanese Saturday at the Cumberland Country Club. Celanese had a total of thirty and one-half points to Kelly's twenty-nine and one-half points, with twenty-one teams competing.

Porter D. Collins was toastmaster for the dinner which was attended by 140 guests. Edmund S. Burke, president of the tire company, hosts for this year, gave the address of welcome. Fred T. Small, president of Celanese, responded.

Brief remarks were made by Judge D. Lindley Sloan, Maj. C. C. Batson, area engineer, States Attorney Morgan C. Harris, and Attorney General William C. Walsh, who gave a concise account of Old Defenders day.

Books of war savings stamps were given as prizes for low score of each foursome and special prizes for different holes, in the golf tournament.

James M. Pitkethly directed the community singing of war, patriotic and popular songs during the dinner.

LaVale Seeks Women For Air Raid Wardens

Women of LaVale, over twenty-one years of age, will be accepted into the ranks of the air raid wardens of that section, to replace the men who have been called to military service and war industries.

Registrations will be made at the general meeting of the wardens at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday at the firemen's hall.

Among the topics to be discussed will be the defects noted in the workings of the civilian defense set-up during last Friday's black-out. Gordon Green, announced that all messengers must take instructions from Cromwell Zembower, chief dispatcher.

Grace Methodist Church Choir Plans Musical

A benefit musical is being planned by the newly organized choir of the Grace Methodist church. Practice will begin at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening.

The choir was organized by the young peoples choir and the senior choir last week at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. W. Loren Ranck, 20 Harrison street. Mrs. James Stevenson presided.

Miss Mary Ellen Payne was appointed secretary and Miss Esther Whalley, wardrobe mistress. Mrs. Ranck is organist, Mrs. Alvin Wilson, assistant, and Mrs. Charles C. Wolford, director.

Plans for organizing a new junior choir were also discussed.

are staying at the home of Mrs. Blackshear's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Sparks, Cash Valley.

Joseph H. Lippold has returned to his home, Aviret avenue, after visiting his daughter, Virginia, in Baltimore.

Mrs. Francis E. Butler, 404 Hill street, and daughter, Genevieve, and granddaughter, Mary Elizabeth Guenterberg, have returned from Youngstown, O., accompanied by Mrs. Butler's mother, Mrs. Mary Cable.

Pvt. Russell C. McCormick, Charlotte, N. C., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. McCormick, 100 West Second street.

Everready Class Honors Members With Hay Ride

United Brethren Church Group Holds Affair at Happy Hills Farm

The Everready class of the United Brethren church entertained with a hay-ride in honor of Dewey Thompson, Forest Snider and the prospective new members of the class, Friday evening at Happy Hills Farm, Route 40.

Mr. Thompson, Elder street, the fourteenth member of the class to join the armed forces, will leave today. Mr. Snider, serving in the United States Navy, is spending a furlough at his home, Maple street.

Promotion day for new members will be held October 4, at the church.

Members attending were Mr. and Mrs. John S. Cook, Miss Nadine Hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Deffenbaugh, Miss May Welsh, Miss Helen Beck, Guy Smith, Miss Betty Yokem, Paul Long, Paul Cagle, Vernon Whorton, Miss Irma Johnson, Floyd Athey. Prospective members included, Miss Jean Ellis, Miss Charlotte Wolford, Miss Beatrice Zembower and William Shuler.

Guests included Ernest Stutzwater, Harold Beckman, Raymond Thompson, Miss Kathleen Gormer, Miss Ruby Reynolds, Martinsburg, W. Va., Jay Baker and Harold Miller.

The next meeting will be held at 7:45 o'clock tomorrow evening at the church.

Duke Bible Class Is Entertained

Corn Roast and Hamburg Fry Is Given by Mr. and Mrs. John S. Cook

Members of the Duke Memorial Bible class and their wives were entertained at a corn roast and hamburger fry last week by Mr. and Mrs. John S. Cook at their home in Bowling Green.

Horseshoe pitching and a softball game were played out of doors, and music featured the entertainment before the fireplace in the recreation room.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Firey, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beagle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Earle Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Hixson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Deffenbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Nesbitt, T. J. Meyers, C. S. Keiter, Judge William A. Huster, John H. Reed, Wilson Gross, Irvin W. Johnson, W. M. Keller, Raymond M. Huster, Roy Hinkle, Robert N. Floyd.

Lloyd Rawlings, Estell W. Oster, William P. Roeder, John Ray Hinkle, E. M. Hider and Herbert Nesbitt, III.

Glen A. Burton Weds Patricia Ann Hill

The marriage of Miss Patricia Ann Hill to Glen A. Burton, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Burton, Clarksburg, W. Va., has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Regan, 619 Shriver avenue.

The ceremony was performed September 5, in the parsonage of the First Methodist church, Bedford street, with the Rev. George E. Baughman, pastor, officiating. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Page Stout.

Upon their return from Clarksburg, Mr. and Mrs. Burton will reside at 422 Grand avenue. Mr. Burton is associated with the Burton clothing store, this city.



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VFW Mixed Bowling League Will Hold Banquet Sept. 24

HEADS NEW COMMAND



James Stemple Is Toastmaster; Thomas Whalley To Present Prizes

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Mixed Summer Bowling League will close its season with a banquet at 7 o'clock, September 24 at the Veterans home.

Prizes for the season will be presented by Thomas Whalley, and James Stemple will be toastmaster. A special entertainment will be presented following the banquet.

The plans were made at the meeting held Friday evening at the home, Union street, when Mrs. Chloe Reynolds, president, also appointed the chairman and committee members.

Mrs. Sadie Smith is chairman of the prize. Other members of the committee are Mrs. Rosalie Everstine and Mrs. Helene Bujac.

Entertainment committee is composed of Audra Golladay, chairman, Mrs. Grace Stemple and Mrs. Reynolds.

Reservations for the banquet which will be served by members of the auxiliary, must be made by September 22, with Mrs. Grace Bosenburg, by calling 3345-W.

Sorority Will Meet

Maryland Omicron Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority will hold its first meeting of the season at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the Port Cumberland hotel.

Miss Sara Sharp, Mrs. C. H. Wagner, Miss Elizabeth Lippold, Miss Dorothy Campbell, Mrs. J. L. Oliver, officers, and Miss Mary McGraw, director, will lead a discussion on character building.

Alumnae Will Meet

Mrs. Gypsy Luzier will be hostess to members of the Alumnae Chapter of Eta Upsilon Gamma at 8:30 o'clock this evening at her home in LaVale.

The fall activities will be inaugurated with the meeting to be held in the form of a wiener roast.

A tin can rescued from the garbage pail will supply the tin for a pair of binoculars or two compasses for an Army scout.

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Petersburg Groups Discuss Scrap Metal Collection

Jaycees Will Meet with Mayor and Council Tomorrow

PETERSBURG, Sept. 13 — A committee from the Petersburg Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet with the mayor and city commissioners Tuesday evening, following a public discussion of higher war rates. The purpose of the Jaycees meeting will be to co-operate with authorities in planning for a scrap metal collection campaign.

Samuel S. Burke, Cumberland, city chairman of the War Production Board Salvage committee, a letter to Mayor Lemmert urged city authorities to make every possible effort to collect the people's scrap metal and iron in the community so that the material will be used in the war effort.

The mayor requests that all residents begin at once a search of basements, garages and vacant lots for every piece of metal up in preparation for the collecting campaign, the date of which will be announced following the meeting Tuesday night.

Red Cross Will Seek Clothing for Children

Clothing for needy school children being sought by the Frostburg chapter, Red Cross, which includes Mrs. Borden, Borden Shaft, Midland, Zihlman and Carlos. Mrs. J. C. Cobey, chairman, asks that people who have old clothing that their children have outgrown contribute them to the Red Cross. All types of wearing apparel, especially shoes for boys and girls of school age, are needed. The contributions may be left at the local health center, city hall.

Cash donations for the purpose of purchasing necessary wearing apparel will be acceptable. Cash donations may be made to Mrs. Cobey or Thomas Elias, vice-chairman.

Petersburg Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Posenal, this city, announce the birth of a son, Friday, at Miner's Hospital. Mrs. Posenal is the former Miss Alice Dubaugh, Wright's Crossing.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Layman, Wright's Crossing, received word that their son, Corp. Harry B. Layman, is stationed with the U. S. Army in Palestine. Another son, Pvt. Layman, is stationed with U. S. fighting forces in India.

Joseph Arnone, Eckhart, received from the American Red Cross at his son, Pvt. Arthur Arnone, who was stationed with the U. S. Army at Bataan, is still missing but reported among the list of the dead.

The September meeting of the Ladies Guild of St. Paul's Lutheran church will be held Monday, 7:30 p. m., in the lecture room of the church.

Members of Mountain chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, are being asked to make reservations with Mrs. Arch. Davis, East Main street, for the banquet to be held Thursday, 6:30 p. m., at the Shrine Club, Cumberland.

The Loyalty Bible class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will entertain with a chicken dinner, Tuesday, September 22, at Layman's farm, Garrett county. Reservations must be made with Mrs. James Close, and Spring, no later than Sunday, September 20.

The Eckhart Homemakers met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Albert Watkins, Eckhart. Miss Maude Bean gave a demonstration of the drying and preservation of foods. A membership was planned with a view of having each member secure a new member. The next meeting will be held October 8 at the home of Mrs. Thomas Eckhart, when each member will give a talk on how to substitute for meats.

Petersburg Personals

Matthew McLuckie, Washington, D. C., a former resident, spent the week-end here with friends and relatives.

PFC Joseph F. Ruffo, this city, home on a ten-day furlough from Camp Jackson, S. C., where he has been stationed since he enlisted last April.

Mrs. Karl Knocke, Pittsburgh, Pa., the guest of her father, Charles Kemp, Barton.

Dr. Leo Minkoff, Ralph M. Race, Walter Mackay, E. Benjamin Myers, Charles N. Hill and Ray Layman, represented the Frostburg Junior Chamber of Commerce at a state-wide conference of the Jaycees, held Monday at the Francis Scott Key Hotel, Frederick, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smeltz, Akron, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee W. Morgan, Hagerstown, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Morgan, 99 Maple street.

Mrs. Earl E. Ward, Washington, D. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ward, Linden street. She is employed as a supervisor of auditors at the U. S. Engineers' offices, Washington.

Mrs. Charles Seggie, Midlothian, was received at Miner's Hospital for medical treatment.

Glenn Kerr, 80, Mt. Pleasant street, is a surgical patient at Miner's Hospital.

Mrs. Harold Dougherty, Galveston, Texas, the former Miss Virginia Gordon, this city, returned to resume her teaching position at the local public school. She is the

ESCAPED LIFER'S FAMILY



When Ormund Westgate, 50, was held by New York police as an escaped lifer from the Joliet, Ill., penitentiary, it ended eighteen years of respectability and domestic happiness for him. Westgate escaped from the prison where he was serving a life sentence for robbery in 1924. He was caught when he complied with the law requiring all war workers to have their fingerprints taken. This picture shows Mrs. Westgate accompanied by her nine-year-old son, James, returning home, after attempting to see her husband in jail.

Parents of Tots Starting School Offered Advice

Early Weeks Are Important—Mothers Shouldn't Remain with Children

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

The early days at school are very trying to many a new pupil and his mother, not to mention his teacher. Often the teacher has more trouble with the mother than with the child. Naturally the mother of the tot going to kindergarten or first grade feels it is hard for him in the strange surroundings without her, particularly if the child has been nearly always with the mother and dependent on her emotionally. Feeling that her child will be unhappy the mother may stay through the opening session or all day, which is about the worst possible thing for her to do.

Let me urge the mother, after she has taken a child to the teacher, to return home at once, leaving with little or no ceremony. Though the child should cry bitterly after her, he will soon calm down once she is out of sight. If he discovers she is anxious about leaving him and grows more solicitous as he clings to her and begs her to stay with him, he surely will continue to work on her feelings and stir up more discomfort in himself. Any lingering uncertainty makes it harder all around.

It is fortunate if the child can go to school without his mother but with some other children, preferably with some he knows who will protect him. The next best thing is for him to go with his father or mother and some of these children.

This same principle applies to the child of the second or higher grade who has entered a new school and community or who has been intimidated by some bullies. Knowing the bullies, the mother might find a way to win their friendship, might attract them to her home, even induce them to be this child's protector.

Child Who Plays "Sick"

Be on guard about the child who plays sick. Either he has not been weaned emotionally or has had some distressing experiences at school or on the way there. If he says he is sick on a school morning, take his temperature and call the doctor, in case he has a fever. If he has no fever, but still insists he is sick, put him to bed for the entire day and night. Since he is "sick" he should not have too much attention, no books, fannies or radio, and a light diet. Next morning he probably will feel better.

Even then, you will want to find out what is back of his playing sick and, if at all possible, remove the cause. Running away from things that seem hard can become a menace to good learning, character and citizenship.

Solving Parent Problems

Q. My boy, 10 years old, has had a hard time gaining skill at addition and subtraction.

A. No doubt he still counts and does not know by heart the basic addition and subtraction facts. There are only 100 of each and they should be memorized as they will be needed a lifetime. You may have without cost a sheet of the 100 addition facts and a sheet of the 100 subtraction facts by writing me at 235 East Fifty-fifth street, New York City, enclosing a self-addressed envelope with a three-cent stamp on it.

Germany is planning increased use of electrically-operated motor vehicles to conserve liquid fuels, the department of Commerce reports.

The only natural deposit of cryolite, used in refining aluminum, is in Greenland.

wife of Warrant Officer Dougherty, who is stationed at Camp Wallace, Texas.

Austin Smith Is Elected Legion Post Commander

Petersburg Unit Names Other Officers at Annual Meeting

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 13 — Austin Smith, member of the Quartermaster corps during the first World War, was elected commander of Grant Post No. 78, of the American Legion, at a meeting Thursday evening in the court house.

Other officers elected for the ensuing year are Vice Post Commander, Ervin B. Bowman; Post Adjutant and Finance Officer, H. C. Harman; Post Service Officer, Isaac D. Smith; Post Americanism officer, Gene Shobe; Post Historian, Ted R. Ait; Post Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Hogshead, and Sergeant at arms, Charles E. Sears.

Announce Marriage

Miss Corrie Rebecca Sites, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Sites, Petersburg, and Glenn William Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Turner, Maysville, were united in marriage Thursday, August 27, by the Rev. Minor Sprague of the St. Paul's Methodist church, Oakland, Md.

The double ring ceremony was used. The bride wore navy blue with white accessories and the groom also wore navy blue. The only attendants were the groom's sister, Miss Flossie Turner and his brother-in-law, Burley Heavner. A dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Turner, Maysville, upon their return home. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Rudy, Keyser, and Mrs. Burley Heavner and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Turner and daughter. They will reside on a farm near Maysville.

Petersburg Briefs

William Simmons suffered a fractured leg Friday evening after plowing on the farm of T. J. Grove when the horse he was riding took fright at the sudden flight of a bird and threw the rider to the ground. Simmons was taken to Dr. C. E. King's clinic where his leg was set and placed in a cast.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Landes announce the birth of a daughter Saturday at Dr. C. E. King's clinic.

Personal Items

Robert Baker, who is stationed in the Army at Newport News, Va., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Baker.

James Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Jettie Simmons and Orlando Markwood, Baltimore, are here spending the week-end.

Miss Myrian Lahman, Cumberland, is here visiting relatives.

Cecil Shepherd and C. H. Park left today for Florida by motorcade where they will spend ten days.

James Reunion who has had pneumonia in Baltimore, was removed to his home here yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Krause returned yesterday from Washington where they visited Mrs. Henry Heath and Mrs. Henry Diener.

Mrs. Bert Burton and Miss Mary Cook, Baltimore, who have been visiting their father, S. G. Cook, Arthur returned home yesterday.

Mrs. W. U. Parker, Arthur, remains seriously ill.

OPA Plans Action

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Sept. 13 (AP)—Several prosecutions for violations of price ceiling regulations are in the offing in West Virginia, State OPA Director Carl Frause said today.

It was explained that shortage of personnel and attention to theft cases were two reasons for the OPA's slowness in cracking down on price chisellers.

SOUTHERN BEAUTY



From the south comes Hilda Taylor, 22-year-old "Miss North Carolina," to compete for the title of "Miss America" at Atlantic City.

"SUPER RAM" FOR SUPER PRICE



"Super Ram," pictured with Roy R. Moore, of Pendleton, Ore., who bought the Rambouillet, sold for a record price of \$1,000 at the national ram sale in Salt Lake City, Utah. Also in the picture is 8-year-old Carlyle Olsen, grand-daughter of the breeder of the ram.

St. Marys Glass Plant Is Destroyed By Fire; Property Loss Is \$150,000

Between 70 and 100 Men Are Out of Work in West Virginia Town

ST. MARYS, W. Va., Sept. 13 (AP)—The Paramount Glass Company plant at St. Marys was destroyed by fire yesterday, throwing between seventy and 100 men out of work and causing a property loss of approximately \$150,000.

The plant, St. Marys' second largest industry, had been operating for the past twelve years.

Major Easley To Speak

PHILIPPI, W. Va., Sept. 13 (AP)—Major James P. Easley, state liaison officer for civilian defense, will speak at graduation exercises for approximately 500 OGD workers at Philippi tomorrow night.

Civilian defense units from Philippi, Belington, Junior Century, and nearby communities will be represented in the class, which will receive certificates after a parade.

Mt. Savage Will Launch Campaign For Scrap Metal

Town Is Divided into Sections for Opening of Drive Today

MT. SAVAGE, Sept. 13—The Mt. Savage Boy Scout troop and the local merchants will launch their united drive for scrap iron and rubber tomorrow (Monday) evening at 6 o'clock. The town has been divided into sections and a schedule arranged so that a different section will be canvassed every evening this week. Residents are asked to have the scrap collected and ready to give to the Scouts, or if this is impossible, to take inventory of it and tell the boys where they may collect it. Merchants' delivery trucks will be used to haul the iron and rubber and the Scouts will do the collecting. The scrap will be deposited in the vacant lot back of the New Majestic theatre.

The schedule for the week's drive will be as follows: Monday, New Row and Old Row; Tuesday, Calla Hill; Wednesday, Foundry Row and Slabtown; Thursday, Railroad and Main streets, Newtown and Barrellsville; and Friday, the outlying farming districts.

After the scrap is deposited in the lot, the merchants will have charge of seeing that it is delivered to the proper authorities for defense purposes. The Rev. Harris M. Waters, James House, Howard L. Aldridge, Jr., and Patrick A. Fannon are in charge of the drive.

Blackout Is Success

The surprise blackout Friday night with a complete success in this community, according to local heads of the civilian defense program. With the exception of two or three residences, all lights in town were extinguished before the whistle had ceased blowing. However, for a few seconds after the warning began, many of the citizens failed to realize that it was a blackout signal, due to the fact that the Frostburg siren cannot be heard in Mt. Savage, and the local whistles used for the purpose sound similar to those which signify railroad wrecks. In Barrellsville and Newtown, where the Mt. Savage signal cannot be heard, the people were notified by phone, and the districts were in total darkness in record time. Several hundred people were attending the weekly social party in St. Patrick's hall at the time of the blackout, and the crowd remained orderly and quiet until the "all clear" sounded. The volunteer fire company performed several blackout tests during the Friday night period.

Mt. Savage Personals

Edward McDermitt, Washington, returned yesterday after visiting his aunt, Miss Veronica McDermitt.

Sgt. Francis Gallagher returned to Camp McPherson, Atlanta, Ga., yesterday after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher.

SHE'S FLAMEPROOF



Dressed in gloves, cap and apron that have been treated with a new fire retardant chemical, manufactured by DuPont, this girl welder at the I.T.E. Circuit Company's plant in Philadelphia carries on her work in as nearly fireproof condition as science can make her. This flameproof work-clothing is being rapidly adopted in war industry.

125 Attend Fourth McDowell Reunion Near Burlington

Reminiscences Are Given by Oldest Member; New Officers Elected

KEYSER, W. Va., Sept. 13 —The fourth annual reunion of the McDowell Clan was held at the Joseph McDowell Memorial Park near Burlington today. One hundred and twenty-five members of the clan and visitors were in attendance. At 11:15 the following program was given. All sang "America." Invocation by T. W. McDowell. Reminiscences were given by Mrs. Ellen Roberts, oldest living member of clan (84 years old); Henry McDowell, Sr., Bessie Grove, Mrs. Tirza Grove, Westernport, Md.; Mrs. Mary Skidmore, Belington, W. Va.; Mrs. Mary Poling Moorefield, W. Va.; Mrs. Ruth Gardner, Willard, Ohio, and T. W. McDowell, Bloomington, Md.

The following officers were elected: George Thomas McDowell, president; Carl McDowell, vice president; Luke McDowell, secretary-treasurer and historian and Lowell Rogers, musician.

Immediately after the program the picnic dinner was served on improvised tables in the orchard.

'Russ' McDowell Honored

On Friday evening a number of Russell McDowell's friends tendered him a farewell party at the Home-stead hotel in Burlington. Dinner was served to fourteen. Mr. C. I. Everhart acted as toast master and presented Mr. McDowell a complete shaving and toilet set. In his remarks Mr. Everhart spoke of the high esteem in which "Russ" is held by those who know him and gave him the best wishes of all as he leaves for Fort Hayes on Monday to enter the service of his country.

Besides the guest of honor and in attendance: Duke McDowell, Lester McDowell, James McDowell, Gene Cleveland, Bill Neville, Kimmell Furgitt, Jim Briley, Bud Rogers (Bud leaves Monday, too), John Rice, Raymond Wolford, Raymond Murray and John Rogers.

Keyser Briefs

Private Leroy Deibaugh who is stationed with the air force in Tallahassee, Fla., is home on a leave. His wife is with him.

Mrs. Margaret Haines who works in the county clerk's office will leave tomorrow for a week's stay in New York and Washington.

J. E. Prettyman county agricultural agent and Florence Howard county 4-H club agent will be in Jackson's Mill this week attending a conference American Extension Workers.

Former Operator Of Gilmore Hotel Dies Suddenly

Miss Mary Gilmore, 72, Succumbs at Sister's Home in Westernport

WESTERNPORT, Sept. 13—Miss Mary (Mame) Gilmore, 72, Washington, D. C., daughter of the late John and Mary Keedy Gilmore, died early Saturday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. George C. Cleaver, 128 Church street, Westernport, with whom she had been visiting.

A native of Piedmont, Miss Gilmore operated the former Gilmore hotel, located on Ashfield street, Piedmont, now the Potomac hotel, for fifteen years prior to leaving for Washington, where she was employed as housekeeper for Mr. Eugene Connelly, rector of St. Peter's Catholic church.

Besides Mrs. Cleaver, she is survived by one other sister, Mrs. Kate Greenway, Pittsburgh, Pa., and one brother, Timothy J. Gilmore, Toledo, Ohio. Miss Gilmore was a member of St. Peter's Catholic church, Westernport.

Funeral services will be held in St. Peter's Catholic church, Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Heltzen Dies

Word was received here that Mrs. John H. Heltzen, wife of the late John Herbert Heltzen, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edith Failer, Richmond, W. Va., Saturday morning.

The body will be brought to Westernport for interment in Philo cemetery, Tuesday afternoon, with the Rev. R. J. Harkins, rector of St. James Episcopal church, Westernport, officiating.

Mrs. Heltzen was a former resident of Piedmont, a member of St. James Episcopal church, Westernport, and the guild of the church.

Miss Infant Dies

Dale Richie Miller, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller, Philo avenue, Westernport, died Saturday evening at Reeves clinic. Besides his parents, he is survived by a sister, Miss Viola Miller, at home.

Succumbs in Hospital

Mary Hanlin, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hanlin, Wood street, Westernport, died in Memorial hospital, Cumberland, Saturday morning. The body has been removed to the home of her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dignan, Oak View, Westernport. Besides her parents, she is survived by one brother, James Hanlin, Jr.

Tri-Towns Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Braithwaite, of Beryl, W. Va., announce the birth of a son, Friday, September 11.

The newly organized surgical dressing class in Luke, Md., will open Wednesday, September 16 at the Cromwell building. There will be a class in the afternoon at 2 o'clock and in the evening at 7 o'clock. All women who are willing to assist are invited to be present.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyles and two children, Shirley Ann and Robert A. Fayetteville, Pa., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyles, Ashfield street, Piedmont.

Technician Sgt. Timothy O'Brien, Camp Meade, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. O'Brien, Luke.

Joseph Sullivan, agent for the Blue Ridge, Uniontown, Pa., spent the weekend at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler, Jr., Baltimore, Md., returned home today after spending a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Barnard, Chestnut Grove, Md.

Mrs. Paul R. Wilson, Ashfield street, Piedmont, fell at her home Thursday night, suffering from ligaments in the right ankle and a sprained left ankle. She is resting at her home.

Lieut. Thomas B. Mansfield, who had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Mansfield, Westernport, for a week, left Saturday night for Camp Roberts, Calif., where he has been assigned for duty at the Infantry Replacement Training Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Prazee, Hagerstown, Md., returned home after a two weeks' visit with Mrs. T. A. Welsh, Oak View.

Miss Nan Murray, Piedmont, returned home after a week's visit with relatives in Willsville, N. Y.

TODAY'S VICTORY GARDEN-GRAPH

By DEAN HALLIDAY

BLACK KNOT

Black knot, a fungus disease, attacks both the wild and cultivated plums. Some varieties are more susceptible than others, Lombard and Damson being especially so.

As illustrated in the Garden Graph, black knot affects the woody portions of the tree. The first indications of the disease are the elongated black knots on the small limbs being one-half to eight inches in length and one quarter to one and a half inches in diameter. At first the knots are soft and greenish in color, later they become hard and black, also spreading to the larger limbs.

To control this destructive malady, cut out and burn the knots as soon as they are noticed in the autumn or early winter. Do not overlook a

TEACHER DIES



Winfield S. Morris

Winfield Scott Morris, 64, of Lonaconing, an instructor at Central high school for the past thirty-two years, died early Saturday morning in Memorial hospital, Cumberland, where he underwent two operations. A native of Hebron, W. Va., Mr. Morris, familiarly known as "Pappy" by his many friends, became ill Tuesday while on his way to attend a teachers' meeting. He was an author and poet and taught a bible school class. Central school will be closed during funeral services this afternoon.

Meyersdale Opens New War Training Program Sept. 28

Registration for Tuition-free Courses Scheduled Sept. 17, 18, 19

MEYERSDALE, Pa., Sept. 13—A valuable phase of Meyersdale's war effort is the tuition-free training to be offered here on September 17, 18 and 19 when the Pennsylvania State College, under the sponsorship of the United States Office of Education, holds registration for its new training program, it was announced today by George Pfrogner, local administrative head. Mr. Pfrogner said that classes, to be held at Meyersdale high school, will begin officially on September 28 and possible late registration will be held at that time.

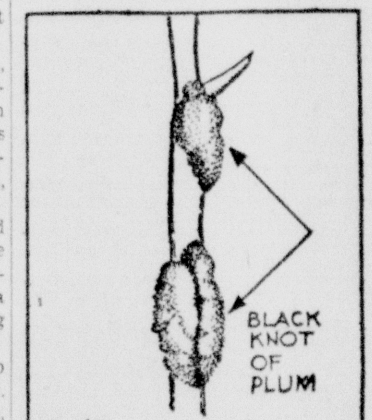
Since the draft is taking so many men workers from war industries, there is an urgent need for women and older men and Penn State is determining this need by a constant survey of industries' needs. Every course offered meets a specific employment need. A considerable percentage of men and women who completed former courses both here and in other centers in the Pittsburgh district attained war jobs as a direct result of the training.

These courses, most of them held two evenings a week, three and a half hours an evening, will be offered at the local center: corporation and manufacturing accounting; engineering draft, elementary and advanced; foundations of engineering; industrial accounting and applied engineering mathematics.

The population of the Dominican Republic is a race of mixed European, African and Indian blood. Spanish is the language of the country.

single knot as each knot produces thousands of spores. Badly infected trees should be cut down and burned.

As these pruning measures may



not be sufficient to insure successful control, additional protection by spraying with Bordeaux five to six times is advised. Begin late in March and repeat at two-week intervals.

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Winfield Morris, Central Teacher, Dies in Hospital

Instructor at Lonaconing for 32 Years Succumbs after Operations

LONACONING, Sept. 13—Winfield Scott Morris, 64, of Jackson street, Charlestown district, died at 3:03 a. m. Saturday in Memorial hospital. Mr. Morris, teacher of shorthand and typing at Central, became ill on his way to Cumberland to attend a teachers' meeting Tuesday and was taken to the hospital. He underwent two operations Friday.

Mr. Morris, known as "Pappy" by his many friends, has been teaching at Central for the past thirty-two years. Before coming to Central he taught in Erie county, Erie, Pa., and also in country schools in West Virginia.

Born in Hebron, W. Va., Mr. Morris was the son of the late Basil and Asenath Odell Morris. He attended Grace Run school, Tyler county, W. Va., and a commercial business college in Clarksburg, W. Va. Prof. C. E. Chalfant instructed him in the muscular art of penmanship. He mastered the art so expertly that he became well known in this area for his beautiful writing.

Besides his interest in hunting, fishing and gardening, Mr. Morris was also an author and a poet. Some of his publications include "Ten Years in the Schoolroom," "Jesus, King of Kings" and "Check and Doublecheck." The last, published by Fortuny's Publishers, Inc., N. Y., in 1941, was his first fiction novel.

Mr. Morris, a member of the first Methodist church of Lonaconing, held the office of secretary on the official board. He taught a Bible school class and also delivered sermons a few times.

Surviving, besides his widow, Ida Virginia Barker-Morris, are three daughters and two sons, Mrs. Harold L. Gray, Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Tannis Rodhaver, West Leavening, Pa.; Mrs. Robert Campbell, Breesport, N. Y.; Robert L. Morris, Westernport, and Basil B. Morris, at home.

Also six sisters and one brother, Mrs. George Griffin, Perth Amboy, N. J.; Mrs. Pearl Grim, Elkview, W. Va.; Mrs. Leighton Kelly, Nutter Port, W. Va.; Mrs. Fred Hall, Nutter Port, W. Va.; Mrs. Fred Garrison, Akron, Ohio; Mrs. Maud Weekley, Waverly, W. Va., and Ployd E. Morris, Piney Valley, W. Va. Eight grandchildren survive.

Services will be held at the Methodist church at 2:30 p. m., Monday. Central school will be closed during the services.

Volunteers Sought

Volunteer workers

Cardinals Grab Lead in Doubleheader Pair

Over-Anxious Redbirds Split Pair with Phils

Stress of Exciting Pennant Struggle Affects St. Louis's Play

By JUDSON BAILEY

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals came within a hot breath of sweeping a doubleheader from the poor Phils today, and failed, but even though they had to be content with winning one out of two the Redbirds roared into exclusive possession of first place in the National League by a full game.

The Cards were over-anxious in the opening tussle, and gave the Phils two runs in the ninth inning to lose 2 to 1, but they came back like champions in the second game and won, 3 to 2, to profit by the Brooklyn Dodgers' double loss against the Cincinnati Reds.

The stress of the exciting pennant struggle made everyone in Shibe Park tense—and there were a lot of people in the stands. The big show brought out a crowd of 20,798 fans, coming within a few hundred of being the biggest turnout of the year for the Phils, and they cheered every time the scoreboard posted runs for Cincinnati at Brooklyn.

The announcer even acknowledged the unusual circumstances by interrupting the play of the important first game to let everyone know that the pitchers at Brooklyn were Walters and Starr.

It was small wonder, then, that the Cardinals crumbled when they were so close to gold and glory in the first game.

Beasley Is Victim

Johnny Beasley, the Redbirds' great rookie who had won nineteen games and recently pitched eight shutouts and his teammates gave him a run in the fifth by capitalizing on one of the three hits they made off Tommy Hughes.

But when victory came close, the Cards grabbed too violently. With one out in the ninth inning Danny Litwiler raised a short fly near the right field foul line and three Redbirds flew to take it. Second baseman Jimmy Brown elected himself for the honor and fell down after getting his hands on the ball. The result was a double.

Manager Billy Southworth went to the mound to comfort Beasley and made Nick Eiten lift a pop foul. But Bill Burich, a kid just up from the Eastern League, lined a single to center and Litwiler slid home for a run as Catcher Walker Cooper dropped Terry Moore's perfect throw on a close play.

This was bad enough, but Shortstop Martin Marion, usually faultless, fumbled an easy roller by Danny Murtaugh and Tommy Livingston followed with a sharp single to score the winning run.

It was one of the tightest and best ball games of the season, replete with spectacular fielding plays and dramatic situations, and it was a worthy victory for Hughes.

Nightcap Also Close

The nightcap began as another tight duel between Howard Kirt of the Cards and Rube Melton of the Phils, but its complexion was changed in the fourth when both teams scored twice, even though it continued close.

In the St. Louis half of the fourth, Enos Slaughter walked, Stan Musial tripled and Johnny Hooper doubled. However, the Phils retaliated with four successive singles by Litwiler, Eiten, Burich and Murtaugh to tie the score and dispatch Kirt.

This proved a mistake, for Bill Beckman, formerly an unsuccessful hurler for the Philadelphia Athletics, shut them out the rest of the way and Captain Terry Moore batted his sixth home run into the left field stands in the fifth inning to decide the game. The scores:

ST. LOUIS (FIRST GAME)										
AB	R	H	E	O	A	AB	R	H	E	
Brown, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	Tommy Hughes	4	0	0	0
T. Moore, cf	3	0	0	0	0	Jimmy Brown	4	0	0	0
Enos Slaughter	4	1	1	0	0	Danny Murtaugh	4	0	0	0
Stan Musial	4	1	1	0	0	Danny Murtaugh	4	0	0	0
W. Cooper, c	4	0	0	0	0	Tommy Livingston	4	0	0	0
Hopp, 1b	4	0	0	0	0	Nick Eiten	4	0	0	0
Kurowski, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	Bill Beckman	4	0	0	0
Marion, ss	3	0	0	0	0	Tommy Hughes	4	0	0	0
Brasler, p	3	0	0	0	0	Bill Beckman	4	0	0	0
Totals					37	1	3	3	0	
x-2 out when winning run scored.										
PHILADELPHIA										
AB	R	H	E	O	A	AB	R	H	E	
Waner, cf	4	0	1	0	0	Tommy Hughes	4	0	0	0
Northey, cf	4	0	1	1	0	Jimmy Brown	4	0	0	0
Waner, cf	4	0	1	0	0	Danny Murtaugh	4	0	0	0
Eiten, 1b	4	0	1	0	11	Tommy Livingston	4	0	0	0
Burch, ss	4	1	2	1	0	Nick Eiten	4	0	0	0
Lewis, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	Bill Beckman	4	0	0	0
Livingston, c	4	0	1	0	0	Tommy Hughes	4	0	0	0
Hughes, p	3	0	0	0	0	Bill Beckman	4	0	0	0

Brewers Win Pen-Mar

Queen City Goes On Hitting Spree To Wallop Reds

Last Half Champs Gather 24 Blows To Rout Centerville 14-7

The Queen City Brewers of Cumberland and the Centerville Reds, opening a three-game series for the championship of the Pen-Mar Baseball League yesterday at Centerville, Pa., engaged in an old-fashioned slugfest with the Brewers lashing out twenty-four hits to defeat the first half winners 14-7.

The Reds, who will come to Cumberland next Sunday to meet the brewers in the second game of the series on the North End Playground field, gathered a total of nineteen blows off Bill Stevenson and despite nine errors, were far from beaten until Queen City scored seven times in the last two frames to sew up the decision.

Meivin Nee, first of three Centerville hurlers to see service, yielded six hits in three and one-third innings while Alton Nave, his successor, gave up eighteen safeties before being retired in the last inning with two out. Lease Zembow was sent into the battle and he managed to retire the side without yielding a hit.

Lynch, Beck Pace Brewers

Leading the Queen City assault were Dick Lynch and Don Beck, each with five hits in six trips. All of Lynch's were singles while Beck had a double and a triple. Centerville's nineteen blows were scattered with John Chaney, Frank Hite and Earl Drenning each securing three. William Boor, who relieved Hite in left field late in the game, poled a triple in his only trip to the plate to account for the Reds' only extra-base knock.

Queen City sewed up the game with two runs in the eighth on Joe Wagner's single, Lynch's bingle, Roy Hinkle's over-throw of third and an infield out and tallied five more markers for good measure in the ninth on Harry Minnick's single, a fielder's choice, an error, Milt Atkey's single which was error for two bases, Stevenson's double and singles by Wagner, Lynch and Beck.

Reds Come to Life

The Reds counted once in the first, again in the third and five times in the fourth. Centerville, after being held scoreless for three innings, marked by singletons in the fourth and fifth, exploded for four tallies in the seventh and managed to manufacture a single run in the final inning. The Reds' ninth-inning score was the result of Boor's triple and Arnold Street's long fly to center.

Queen City gave Stevenson good support in the field. The only Brewer error came when Catcher Beck dropped a called third strike and the batter was safe at first.

The Queen City team was composed of: **AB R H O A E**
Wagner, 3b, 6 3 3 4 0
Hinkle, 1b, 6 0 12 0 0
Herdobolsheim, 2b, 5 0 5 12 0
Beck, c, 6 0 5 11 0
Lynch, rf, 6 5 0 0 0
Chaney, lf, 6 0 0 0 0
Drenning, 3b, 6 0 0 0 0
Atkey, lf, 6 2 1 2 0
Boor, 3b, 6 0 0 0 0
Stevenson, p, 6 0 0 0 0

Totals 47 14 24 27 18

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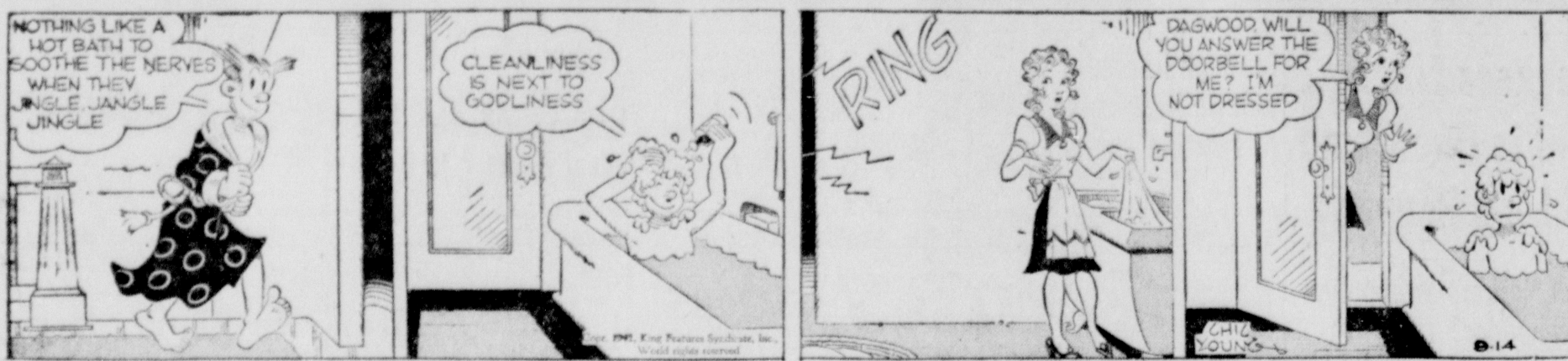
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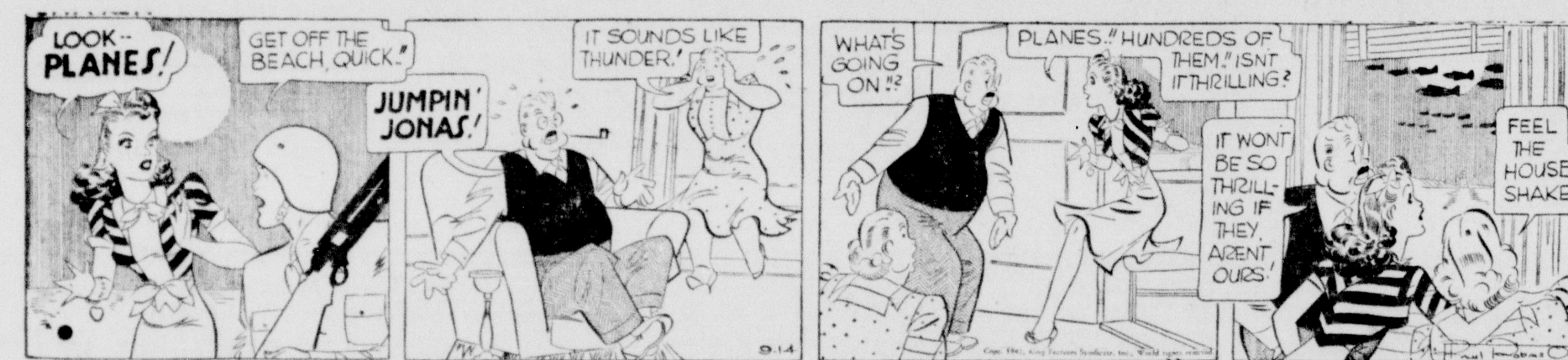
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IN A GAME among a number of teams of four, there are two ways of scoring. One of them is to add up all of the scores made by one pair of a team playing the North-South hands of each deal, and those of its opponents, also add up all of the scores by the pair playing the East-West hands, and those of its opponents, and then subtract the total points of your two pairs from those by your opponents, to see how many net points you have, which may be either plus or minus. The other is "match-point" scoring. By this, if the score of your North-South pair on a deal, combined with that of your East-West pair on it, produces a plus result, you get one match point for winning the deal; if the contrary, you lose it and get no points, and if tied, you get a half of a point.

♠ A 8 6 2	♥ None
♦ J 9 4	♠ 10 8 7 3
♣ A 6 4	♥ 5 7 5
♠ 10 8 5	♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ K J 10 9	♠ Q 5 3
♥ 7 4	♥ K Q 6
♦ A 5 3	♣ K J 9 3
♣ Q 10 2	♠ A 7 2
♣ Q 3	

(Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
1 NT	2 ♠	2 NT	
2 1 NT	2 ♠	Dbl	

Without any brief in behalf of good bidding at either table, there is the way it actually went in a team game where the East-West pair of one team was at Table 2, and its North-South mates were at Table 1.

Both pairs got a fine result, and consequently the deal was won emphatically. At the first table, South was set one at his bid of 2-No Trumps, whereas in most cases South played at 3-No Trumps, was doubled and set two tricks. Thus the loss of 100 points for down one not doubled was a 400 point gain as against those who lost 500 for down two doubled.

At Table 1, West was fortunate enough to make his 2-Spades doubled, for a score of 120 for tricks, 500 bonus for game, total 620. That was 120 better than the score by the pairs who beat the doubled 3-No Trumps 500.

So the team beat most of the field 120 at one table and 400 at the other. That was not good luck, however, as it wasted two good results to gain one match point. If the team had made one of the two pairs' fine scores on one hand, while the mates were making an average, and the other pair's fine score on another hand, while its mates made an average, two match points could have been scored by the same amount of fine work. It is better to have two bad scores together, but your fine scores opposite ordinary ones.

Tomorrow's Problem

♠ J 6 4	♥ A 10 9 8
♦ K J 10 7 3	♠ 8
♣ J 10 8 2	♥ K Q 9 7
♠ 3	♣ J 7 5 2
♣ K 3 2	♠ A 10 9 8
♥ 2	♥ 8
♦ A 6 5 4 3	♠ K Q 9 7
♣ A K 9 4	♣ J 7 5 2
♠ Q 7 5	♠ A 10 9 8
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♦ None	♠ K Q 9 7
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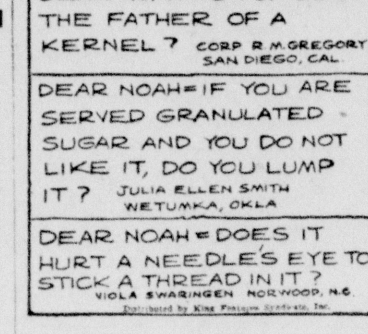
(Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

If South bids 1-Heart, West doubles, North 2-Hearts, East 2-Spades, South 3-Hearts, West 3-Spades, North 4-Hearts and East doubles, what is the correct defense?

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SALLY'S SALLIES



GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichy



LAFF-A-DAY



No use tilting her, Martha. She's plumb empty!"

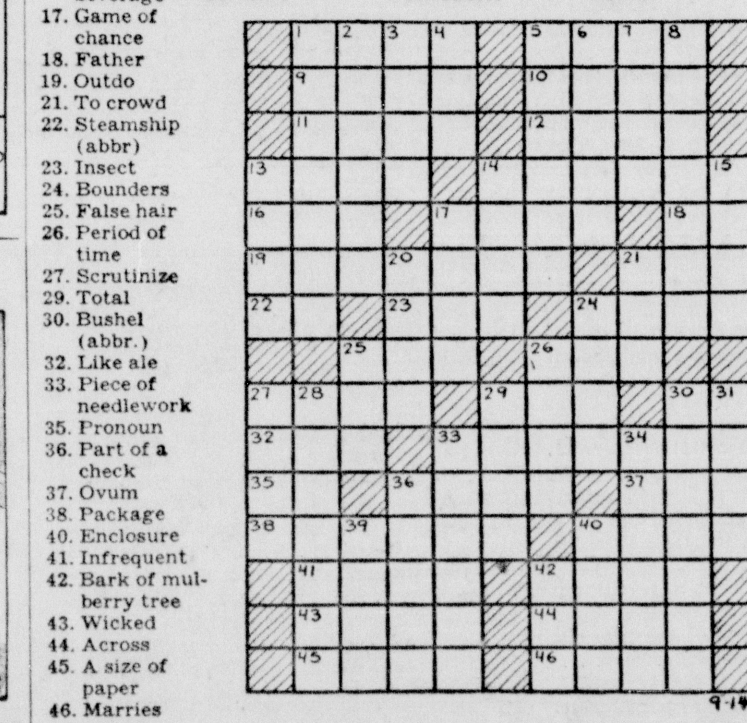
THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS	DOWN	21. Bird
1. Spreads grass to dry	1. Artificial mound	24. Group of tents
5. Bottle stopper	2. Expunger	25. Route
9. Russian river	3. Native of Denmark	26. Mute
10. Baking chamber	4. Foxy	27. Coarse hominy
11. Great number	5. Tints	28. Absolved
12. Solitary	6. Molding	29. King of Israel
13. Ponder	7. Split	30. Mendicants
14. Unstitched booklet	8. Pad to protect knee	31. Force onward
15. Malt beverage	9. Bulk	32. Made of steel
16. Game of chance	10. Quick	33. Jumped
17. Father of a kernel	11. Butts	34. Coarse cotton fabric
18. To crowd	12. Long tooth	35. Ache
19. Steamship (abbr.)	13. Ache	
20. Bounders		
21. False hair		
22. Period of time		
23. Scrutinize (abbr.)		
24. Bushel		
25. Like a steel		
26. Piece of needlework		
27. Pronoun		
28. Part of a check		
29. Ovum		
30. Package		
31. Enclosure		
32. Infrequent		
33. Bark of mulberry tree		
34. Wicked		
35. Across		
36. A size of paper		
37. Marries		



CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

AGN PK RNLB PB QGU MHL MWU PK
KUWONZ ANLQGS NV PQ—INWQJPLU.

Saturday's Cryptogram: I PREFER PRUDENCE WHICH IS NOT ELOQUENT, TO POLLY WHICH IS TALKATIVE—CICERO.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

MORRIS—W. S., aged 64, of Lonaconing, Md., died at Memorial Hospital Saturday morning, Sept. 13th. The body will be at the home on Jackson St., Lonaconing, where friends and relatives will be received. Funeral services held Monday at 2:30 p. m. at the M. E. church, Lonaconing. The Rev. Lewis Hanson, pastor, assisted by the Rev. A. R. Ark, will officiate. Interment in Oak Hill cemetery. Arrangements by Richman's Funeral Service. 9-13-15-Su-N

LYNCH—F. J., aged 29, died Friday, September 11th at Camp Pickett, Va. Friends and relatives received at the home in Mt. Savage. Funeral Mass held Tuesday 9 a. m. in St. Patrick's church, Mt. Savage. Interment in church cemetery. Arrangements by Dursi Funeral Service. 9-14-15-N

UMERLA—Ursula, aged 86, widow of George W. Umerla, died on Saturday, Sept. 13th at her home on Williams Road. The body will remain at Stein's chapel where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. Richard L. Witting will officiate. Interment in Trinity Lutheran cemetery. Arrangements by Stein's Funeral Service. 9-14-15-N

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and following the death of our son, Ronald Lee Jones. We also wish to thank those who sent floral tributes and donated the use of their cars. 9-14-15-N

Mrs. and Mr. Richard S. Jones and Family,
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9-14-15-N

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VACUUM CLEANER Service. Phone 1722. 7-8-Tf-T

16—Money to Loan

NEED MONEY

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Get Ready Cash

Loans for all purposes. See The Community Loan & Finance Co., 80 Pershing Street

17—For Rent

OFFICE ROOMS, Commercial Savings Bank.

11-15-Tf-T

19—Furnished Apartments

CONVERTIBLE 3 rooms, 23 N. Mechanic. 9-4-Tf-T

TWO-ROOM apartment, modern, private bath. Phone 2737. 9-8-Tf-T

BEAUTIFUL three-room apartment, new, modern, private bath. Phone 2737. 9-8-Tf-T

TWO ROOMS, modern, garage, private bath, 900 Yale St., after 3:30 p. m. 9-9-Tf-T

BUSINESS WOMAN, share apartment. Box 764-A % Times-News. 9-11-31-T

THREE ROOMS, porch, Frigidaire, garage, 218 Walnut Place. Phone 4212. 9-12-Tf-T

APARTMENT, 304 Decatur St. 9-12-10-T

FIVE ROOMS, Frederick St., \$45 month, adults. Write Box 769-A. % Times-News. 9-13-31-T

20—Unfurnished Apartments

WASHINGTON—LEE apartments, five rooms and bath. Phone 2998-J. 8-24-Tf-T

WEST SIDE, 4-room apartment, all modern, adults only. Phone 371-J. 8-31-Tf-T

MODERN THREE rooms and bath, 427 N. Centre, adults, \$45. Phone 3299. 9-2-Tf-T

THREE UNFURNISHED rooms, 2 Bridge St., Ridgeley. 9-2-Tf-T

PRIVATE 4 rooms and bath, heat, 2 minutes from Baltimore St., \$35 month. Write Box 751-A. % Times-News. 9-9-10-W

THREE ROOMS, bath, den, hot water and heat furnished, strictly private, adults, Macfarlane Bldg., 11 Frederick St. 9-13-31-T

FOUR ROOM modern apartment, West Side, screened-in porch, private bath. Phone 3115. 9-13-21-Su-M

22—Furnished Rooms

BEDROOMS, Lady, \$2.50, \$3.00. 204 Fulton. 7-31-Tf-T

MODERN BEDROOM, centrally located. Phone 2518-R. 8-18-31-T

MODERN BEDROOM, gentleman. Phone 1223-M. 9-6-Tf-T

BEDROOM, 230 Glenn St. 9-3-31-T

NICELY FURNISHED rooms, good location. Phone 3619-W. 9-5-31-T

LARGE HOUSEKEEPING, 309 Fayette, 98-M. 9-5-Tf-T

FURNISHED ROOMS, 316 Harrison St. 9-5-10-T

BEDROOMS, gentlemen, \$40. Greene St. 9-10-Tf-T

BEDROOM, kitchenette, semi-private bath, heat, adults, 206 Oak St. 9-10-Tf-T

HEATED ROOMS, 201 Columbia St. Phone 1020-W. Gentleman preferred. 9-11-10-T

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING rooms, 414 Race St. 9-11-Tf-T

NICELY FURNISHED room next to bath. Phone 227-R. 9-12-31-T

TWO FURNISHED rooms, 13 Perry St., Ridgeley. 9-12-31-T

ROOMS, 117 Greene. Phone 4214-R. 9-12-31-T

MODERN BEDROOMS, excellent location, bath adjoining, use of garage. Phone 572-R. 9-12-10-T

TWO HOUSEKEEPING rooms, adults, 313 Pennsylvania Ave. 9-13-41-T

23—Unfurnished Rooms

WE HAVE The most convenient location in the City at 407 Henderson Ave. to purchase Cement and other materials in small quantities. 7-21-Tf-T

24—Houses for Rent

MODERN SEVEN room house, (four bedrooms), hot water heat, garage, along bus line, adults. Phone 2994-W after 5 P. M. 9-10-Tf-T

SIX ROOMS, bath, (no gas), near American Service Station, Williams Road, Ballou. 9-11-31-T

SIX ROOM house, all conveniences, 212 Pulaski St. Ext'd. 9-12-21-T

SUB-LEASE October 1st, new seven room modern bungalow, Bowling Green, stoker heat, hardwood floors, heated garage, Box 767-A. % Times-News. 9-12-31-T

THREE ROOM house, basement, garage, 512 C. C. Bennett, State Line, Bedford Road. 9-12-31-T

25—Rooms With Board

ROOM and board. Phone 710-J. 9-13-10-W

26—For Sale Misc.

POULTRYMEN, we will give one \$4 feeder for \$1.98 with the purchase of four bags Kasco Egg Producer. Allegany Feed and Grain Co., Knox St. Phone 2199. 9-6-20-W-T

MIRRORS add that smart touch to room or hall. From \$1.29. Shonters, 128 N. Centre. 7-28-Tf-T

Orlole and Detroit Jewel Gas Ranges
Cabinet Sinks, Irons, Pans, Mixers, Radios, Core Sales and Service, G. E. Light Bulbs

CUMBERLAND MAYTAG CO. 31 N. Mechanic St. Phone 848

FIVE GRAVE lot, Hillcrest Cemetery, 302 Beal St. 9-11-31-T

BEST VALUES, largest selection Armstrong and Congoleum floor, covering all widths. Shonters, 128 N. Centre. 7-28-Tf-T

WESTERN VENETIAN BLINDS, ALL TYPES AND STYLES. DAROL WINDOW SCREENS. DURO CHROME FURNITURE. CALL FOR AN ESTIMATE. Geo. P. Porter, 912-M. 3-29-Tf-T

ASPHALT ROOFING—1 ply @ 98c, 2 ply @ \$1.35, 3 ply @ \$1.45. Liberty Hardware Co. 8-14-31-T

COCKER and Springer puppies, registered, champion grand-puppies. Harold Meek, Vale Summit, Md. 9-3-Tf-T

FAMISE FOUNDATION Garments, surgical supports, expert fittings. Phone 2026. 9-11-Tf-T

GOOD PIANO \$30. Phone 1745. 9-11-31-T

USED RADIATORS—Steam or hot water, practically new. One 17 section 4 tubes, 41 x 21 inches, 40 sq. ft. One 20 section 4 tube, 48 x 34 inches, 70 sq. ft. One 25 section 4 tube, 62 x 32 inches, 88 sq. ft. (wall radiator). One 26 section 2 tube, 42 x 28 inches, 85 sq. ft. Apply Superintendent. Evening Times, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. 9-11-31-T

APPLES, 25c per bushel up, 5 miles out Williams Road. Weber's Farm. 9-11-31-T

'SPENCER' Surgical supports, individually designed. Phone 1786-W. 9-5-31-T

MODERN CHINA closet, \$10. Phone 3907. 9-12-31-T

CIRCULATING hot air furnace, 1614 Bedford St. 9-12-31-T

ONE McCORMICK—DEERING Hammermill. Call Mt. Savage 2321. 9-12-21-T

COLORED OR WHITE woman for housework. Phone 3134-W. 9-14-11-T

EXPERIENCED WOMAN for general housework, 14 Decatur St. 9-13-21-T

GIRL, general housework, sleep in. Phone 1149. 9-13-21-T

ALL EMBOSSED Christmas Cards. Free Samples, Sell 50 with name \$1.00. Leader \$1 Box pays 50c profit. Approval Sample Stationery. Other money-makers. No investment. Empire Card, 186 Elmira, N. Y. 9-14-11-T

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26—For Sale, Miscellaneous

LOT OF approximately 4500 bushel apples on trees. Sell lot intact. Near Ridgeley. See C. A. Jewell. Phone 1549. 9-11-10-T

CIDER made Tuesdays and Fridays. Lancaster's, LaVale. 9-12-21-T

FARMALL "A" Farm tractor, practically new, with equipment. Write Box 726-A % Times-News. 9-9-10-W

COWS, yearling heifers and calves. E. R. Huffman, Green Spring, W. Va. 9-13-11-T

CHARIS FOUNDATION garments. Phone 2092-R. 9-13-31-T

COMBINATION GAS, coal range, 227 Carroll St. Phone 3985. 9-13-31-T

UPRIGHT PIANO, cheap. Phone 1296-W. 9-13-21-T

Cumberland Goes All-Out In Campaign To Salvage Scrap for War Material

Over 250 Truck Loads of Junk Collected by Scores of Volunteers in Metal Drive

If the spirit that moved thousands of people in Cumberland yesterday, in the city's salvage campaign, could suddenly be put in action in every part of the nation, MacArthur and his men could have Christmas dinner in Tokyo and send holiday greetings to the United States occupational troops in Berlin.

Citizens Respond
To observers, it was evident that the scrap metal collection program had been so well publicized and so well planned that everyone responded. Children, men and women spent hours assembling all kinds of scrap and junk, and piled it neatly along the curbs. When the volunteer workmen came with donated trucks, it was practically no time at all, until a truck was loaded and made a speedy trip to the dump, returning again and again for another load.

It would be impossible to tell all of the interesting things about Cumberland's scrap drive in a single story. In fact, the story itself is made up of thousands of little stories, each made possible by the contribution of some individual who wanted to do something to help win the war.

About two score trucks assembled at the parking lot of the A and P Super Market on Wineow street at 1 p. m. yesterday. Each truck was loaded for the afternoon. Various local organizations sent groups of volunteers, men of every vocation and trade, all dressed in old clothes, "ready to clean-up the city" and gather in the junk for war material. Chief among these groups were members of Company D, Maryland State Guard, who had been asked at the last minute to volunteer. Other organizations represented were the CIO and AF of L Unions, American Legion, Junior Association of Commerce, Chamber of Commerce, the Red Cross and Veterans of Foreign Wars. The Boy Scouts helped lay the ground work the day before by distributing handbills, publicizing the drive.

S.A.L. Heads Parade
The Sons of the Legion Drum and Bugle Corps led a parade of the trucks and volunteers through the business section, and then each truck went its way to the area assigned.

Before 2 p. m. the first load of scrap was dumped at the old rolling mill base ball diamond along Maryland avenue. Here a large area on either side of railroad tracks had been marked off by Baltimore and Ohio railroad workmen, for dumping the scrap.

The trucks and workers kept busily at their task of collection until 9 p. m., when the last load was dumped.

Officials, supervising the drive, said that 251 truck loads of junk had been collected. The pile covered an area larger than a city block, and attracted hundreds of curious spectators.

People Help Load Trucks
Men working on the trucks said that people in all parts of the town came out and helped load the trucks. Everyone enjoyed the work and seemed to get quite a kick out of "playing junk-man" and at the same time, helping to win the war. Many stories came back. Some of them brought laughs from the listeners . . . others brought a tribute of silence. For written here in the actions and deeds of the average citizen, written here in a pile of scrap metal that might represent the difference between victory and defeat, was "humor," "charity," "patriotism," "paths," "sacrifice" and "neighborliness." Written here in a pile of old iron, steel, brass, zinc, rubber and aluminum, was "America at its best."

One truck load came in with (Continued on Page 3, Col. 4)

Two Injure Arms In Falls at Home

Garrett County Boy Hurt in Fall from Grape Vine in Woods

Three persons were injured yesterday in accidents.

Mrs. Agnes Duckworth, of 214 Cumberland street, suffered a fractured right arm and injuries to her left arm yesterday when she fell down six steps at her home. She was admitted to Allegany hospital for treatment.

Rose Mary Wilson, 11, daughter of Capt. Paul R. Wilson, Piedmont, W. Va., suffered a fractured left arm yesterday when she fell in her bedroom at home. Her father is now on duty in the Army Medical Corps at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

Wayne Fratz, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fratz, of Accident, was admitted to Memorial hospital yesterday afternoon in an unconscious condition as a result of a fall in the woods near his home.

Hospital attaches said the child had no visible injuries but was taken with severe convulsions shortly after being admitted. The father said the boy fell while swinging from a wild grape vine in the woods. His condition is "fair".

Court House Cannon Added to Junk Heap By Ex-Servicemen

The question of the old World War cannon at the court house was settled yesterday during the scrap collection, when a group of ex-servicemen, commanded by a truck, hitched the cannon on the back and towed it to the junk pile.

Officers of Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion and Henry Hart Post No. 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars, smilingly admitted that ex-servicemen did the job, but explained that the action was not authorized or sanctioned by the organizations.

Numerous local people have repeatedly requested the county commissioners to scrap the old relics and send it back to Europe in the form of guns or shells. The county commissioners agreed to dispose of it and asked for instructions for shipping several weeks ago. To date they had not been told where to send it. But it's on the scrap heap now.

Police Cruiser And Truck Collide

State Police Car Taking Woman to Hospital Is Badly Damaged

No one was injured in the crash of a Maryland State Police cruiser car and a city-owned truck yesterday but the police car was badly damaged.

Trooper M. Frank Beamer was driving the police car to the hospital with Mrs. Albert Avery, 49, of Bowling Green, who had been injured when struck by her husband, police said. The two vehicles crashed exactly in the center of the intersection.

Mrs. Avery was transferred to another car and taken to the hospital where she was admitted. Hospital attaches said she was not badly hurt but was in a nervous condition. Her husband was later arrested by Trooper M. G. Hart and jailed pending disposition of the case.

Trooper Beamer said his siren was sounding and the traffic light was just turning from walk to green as his car entered the intersection. State police took pictures of the cruiser and truck and statements from a score of witnesses. The investigation has been continued.

11 GROUPS WILL MEET TO PLAN SERVICE HONOR ROLL TABLET TONIGHT

Representatives of eleven local organizations are invited by Mayor Thomas P. Conlon and the city council to attend a meeting at the city hall council chamber this evening at 7:30 o'clock at which time preliminary plans for the erection of a service honor roll tablet will be formulated.

The honor roll will contain the names of all Cumberland men and women serving in the armed forces of the United States.

Organizations invited to send representatives include the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce, Allegany County Board of Education, Women's Civic Club, Daughters of the American Revolution, Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Federation of Labor, Congress of Industrial Organization, Disabled American Veterans and the Cumberland Junior Association of Commerce.

William Rafter, B and O Engineer, Dies Suddenly

Native of Piedmont Entered Railroad Service 52 Years Ago

William Henry Rafter, 68, a B and O engineer, died suddenly Sunday morning at his home, 141 Bedford street.

A son of the late James H. and Margaret Pickering Rafter, he was born in Piedmont, W. Va., but spent his early years in Keyser, W. Va., where he entered the service of the B. and O. railroad as a caller and messenger boy in 1890.

In 1895 he began firing on the Cumberland Division between Keyser and Grafton, W. Va., and in 1898 he became an engineer. Rafter was promoted to passenger engineer in 1918. He handled trains which had as passengers all the presidents from Taft to Franklin D. Roosevelt. His train hauled the special which Queen Marie of Rumania used when she passed through Cumberland on her tour of the United States in the 1920's.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Ellen Elizabeth Davis Rafter, he is survived by a sister, Mrs. C. E. Harrison, Burlington, W. Va., one brother, R. A. Rafter, of Keyser, W. Va. The body was taken to the Kight funeral home pending funeral arrangements.

Mrs. Ursula Zimerla Dies

Mrs. Ursula Zimerla, aged 86 years, widow of George W. Zimerla, died late Saturday afternoon at the home of her son, Harvey P. Zimerla, RFD 4, Williams road. She is survived by another son, William R. Zimerla, this city, a half-sister, Nora Hibble, this city, eight grandchildren, twelve great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

John B. Hamilton Dies

John Birdie Samuel Hamilton, 26, son of Philbert I. and Bessie V. (Dillinger) Hamilton, 314 Paca street, died early Saturday in Memorial hospital where he was admitted Friday morning.

Mr. Hamilton was a graduate of Allegany high school, '36, and was an employee of the Celanese Corporation.

Surviving besides his parents are two sisters, Miss Fay Louise Hamilton and Mrs. Ganelle Layman and one brother, William A., all residing at 314 Paca street.

The body was taken to the Dillinger Funeral Home, Woodstock, Va., yesterday for services in the Woodstock Reformed church and burial in the Conicville cemetery.

Mrs. M. E. Combs Dies

Mrs. Martha E. Combs, 74, wife of Jonas L. Combs, LaVale, died Saturday afternoon in Allegany hospital. A native of Hardy county, W. Va., she was the daughter of the late A. C. and Sarah Bean. Besides her husband, she is survived by three sons, Guy and Lepora Combs, this city; and Arley Combs, LaVale; and one daughter, Miss Hazel Combs, LaVale; two brothers, Luther A. Bean, this city; and Philip A. Bean, Inkerman, W. Va.; and one sister, Mrs. J. W. F. Combs, Needmore, W. Va. She was a member of Piney Grove Methodist church, from where funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon.

Infant Succumbs

Patricia Ann Beckwith, 9-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Beckwith, 316 Howard place, died Sunday morning in Allegany hospital where she had been a patient two days.

The body will remain at the Kight funeral home where services will be held.

Clarence O. Rizer Rites

Funeral services for Clarence O. Rizer, of 615 Frederick street, who died Wednesday night in Memorial hospital were held yesterday in the Kingsley Methodist church, 2:30 p. m., with the Rev. Walter M. Michael officiating. Burial was made in Greenmont cemetery.

Active pallbearers at the last rites (Continued on Page 3, Col. 5)



CUMBERLAND GETS INTO THE SCRAP—When this photo was taken late yesterday afternoon, workers on the scrap collection campaign had been busy only a couple of hours. When they finished late last night, the pile of junk was just about twice the size shown here. Over 250 truck loads were collected from the homes of residences in and around the city. Members of the committee, sponsoring the salvage effort to collect metal needed in the production of guns, tanks, planes and ammunition expressed the opinion that the campaign was one of the most successful ever held, because everyone responded so willingly. The junk was piled in the rolling mill yards, where a Red Cross First Aid station patched many scratched and cut hands of workers who volunteered to load and haul the junk. A telephone line was installed to the station so calls could be handled to and from trucks in all parts of the city.

Dr. S. Muncaster, Eye Specialist, Dies at Capital

Octogenarian Was Brother of Late Walter Muncaster, of this City

Dr. Stuart B. Muncaster, 85, who died Friday in Episcopal Eye, Ear and Throat hospital, Washington, D. C., was buried Sunday afternoon in Wheeling, W. Va., after funeral services at the New York Avenue Presbyterian church, Washington.

Dr. Muncaster was a brother of the late Walter J. Muncaster, Cumberland, and visited here many times. Mrs. Walter J. Muncaster, Washington street, is a sister-in-law of Dr. Muncaster.

Dr. Muncaster was one of the founders of the District of Columbia Society for the Prevention of Blindness and was among the outstanding ophthalmologists in this part of the country. He lived at the University Club.

Becomes Eye Specialist

Dr. Muncaster was a graduate of the Georgetown University Medical school and later studied in Vienna. In recent years he confined his practice to the treatment of the eye and attained nationwide recognition in this field.

He was an accomplished golfer and winner of many trophies offered by the American Medical Association, of which he was a member. He was a member of the Kenwood Golf and Country Club.

Dr. Muncaster also was a member of the District Medical Society, the American Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology, the Washington Society for the Blind and the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of the State of Maryland.

Active in Civic Groups

He also held membership in the National Cathedral Association, Maryland Society of Washington, Lafayette Lodge No. 19, Masons, the Chamber of Commerce, the Lions' Club and the Washington Board of Trade.

He was a native of Montgomery county, Md., but lived most of his life in Washington. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. George B. Vest, Washington, and Mrs. George A. Burns, Miami, Fla.

Also surviving are one brother, Alexander Muncaster, Washington, D. C. For several years Dr. Muncaster had a summer practice at Oakland, Md. He married Miss Edna McCourtney, of Wheeling, W. Va. She died in 1902.

Will Plan Program

The first meeting of the season of Maryland Alpha Chapter, Delta Theta Chi will be held at 8 o'clock this evening in the club room of Central Y. M. C. A.

The program for the year will be discussed and outlined.



BACK THEY GO — Hume Opie Annan, Jr. of Dunbar Drive, is shown here with several prized World War relics which he added to Cumberland's scrap pile yesterday. He is holding a German mortar shell and French shell, while beside him are two more shells and two World War helmets. The shells and helmets were given young Annan by his mother, the late Donnell Dunbar Avirett, who served in France with the entertainment section of the Y. M. C. A. The helmets were relics brought back by his father who served as a lieutenant.

Tri-State Traffic Club Will Discuss ODT Regulations

Dinner and Business Program Is Scheduled Today at Y.M.C.A.

The September meeting of the Tri-State Traffic Club will be held today 6:30 p. m. in the Central Y. M. C. A. where the entire membership of the club will be served dinner which will be followed by the business program.

The newest order of the Office of Defense Transportation concerning the operation of all motor vehicles under government control will be discussed as will the order requiring heavier loading of cars that becomes effective October 15.

President Leo H. Ley announced that sub-committees have been named to provide additional subjects among which will be those representing the railroads, Messrs. Max N. Freese and Carroll E. France. W. H. Solomon and Robert T. Kaplan will cover the industries while Earl L. Chaney and J. T. Conley will show the viewpoint of the trucking interests.

The entertainment committee headed by John F. Rodman, assisted by Robert A. Dennis and H. W. Smith, has arranged a good menu with the assistance of the Y.M.C.A. and a full turnout is expected, as indicated by the reservations so far received.

Organized as a medium by which railroad, shipping, receiving and trucking interests could unite in a common effort to co-ordinate transportation activities in the local tri-state area, the club is proving its worthwhileness to the community.

Thomas R. Reid Will Address Service Clubs

Thomas R. Reid, of the McCormick Company, Baltimore, will speak on the subject "Multiple Management" to members of all the Cumberland service clubs tomorrow at 12:15 p. m., in the Central Y. M.C.A.

Squirrels Cost \$5 Each When Bagged in Closed Season, Hunter Learns

It's a costly proposition to hunt small game during the closed season. At least that's what a Lonaconing nimrod learned Saturday when he appeared in trial magistrate's court in Lonaconing.

Lloyd Moore was arrested by Theodore Thorier, deputy game warden, near Dan's mountain on the charge of hunting game during the closed season. Moore had two squirrels in his possession.

The hunter was fined \$35 and costs Saturday by Magistrate Bernard McPartland.

Joseph A. Minke, regional game warden, said that Moore paid \$5 for each squirrel in his possession or a total of \$10 for the two squirrels he shot. In addition he forked over a \$25 minimum fine for violating the game laws.

The maximum or "ceiling price" on furs is \$100.

The first of two squirrel seasons in Allegany county does not open officially until tomorrow at sunrise.

Rural Group Will Discuss Nutrition Of Farm Animals

A committee of rural people in the Cumberland area will hold a conference at the Algonquin hotel Wednesday, September 16, at 7 p. m., to study the nutrition requirements of farm animals. L. O. Brumback, of Winchester, Va., a representative of Southern States co-operative in this section, has announced.

This group will study results of recent feeding experiments in order to learn some of the latest methods for raising healthy, vigorous livestock. J. Julian Baker, of Richmond, Va., will assist with the conduct of the conference.

"It never has been more necessary than now to produce the best possible livestock and bring it to maturity in top condition," Brumback said. "Only through tremendous effort can farmers reach their production goals during the present war situation."

World War Relics Added to Scrap Pile Yesterday

Hume Opie Annan, Jr., Gives Souvenirs Brought Back by His Mother

Hume Opie Annan, Jr., young editor of the Alcohi Mirror, made a notable contribution to the scrap collection yesterday, when he gave some highly-prized souvenirs of the last war. The collection included two large mortar shells and two French seventy-fives which were brought back from the last war by his mother, the late Donnell Dunbar Avirett Annan. Mrs. Annan served with the entertainment section of the Y.M.C.A. during the last war. She saw service in France, Belgium, Germany and other European countries, and prior to her death in 1936, wrote a book entitled, "Here Comes the Show Troupe."

Made in Dusseldorf
The two mortar shells are of particular interest. Markings on them show they were made in Germany. One was made in the city of Dusseldorf, which was bombed last week. It is dated October 1914. The other was made in Magdeburg in January, 1916.

Annan said he prizes these relics, because they were returned by his mother, but he believes, under the circumstances, she would want them put to good use. The young man said "I hope this one from Dusseldorf goes back where it came from."

Father Served Overseas
Hume Opie Annan, Sr., gave his son the helmets shown in the accompanying photo. The senior Annan served as a lieutenant during the war and was in a company commanded by Captain Millard E. Tydings, now United States Senator from Maryland.

In addition to the war relics Annan contributed, he and his uncle John W. Avirett II, spent all morning yesterday collecting junk and scrap. They accumulated a pile of everything which included an old iron fence, some old machinery parts, and a quantity of steel, brass and copper.

Democrats Will Convene Friday

Allegany County Delegates Named for Sessions in Baltimore

Sessions of the Democratic state convention will be held Friday, September 18, at 8 p. m., in the Emerson hotel, Baltimore, it was announced yesterday by Truman B. Cash, of Westminster, chairman of the Democratic state central committee.

Cash said it has been found impossible to engage any of the theaters which usually house the convention sessions.

The convention will be held at night in order to await the tally of absentee ballots cast by soldiers and sailors, the counting of which may not begin under the law until the afternoon of Tuesday, September 18.

Allegany county delegates to the convention are Mayor Thomas F. Conlon, Mrs. Elizabeth R. Menefee, Edward J. Ryan, John J. McMullen, Edgar A. Dashiell, of Cumberland; Dr. W. O. McLane, Jr., of Frostburg, and P. A. Fannon, of Mt. Savage.

Capt. Conlon Swears in Lonaconing Minute Men

Capt. Thomas F. Conlon, of Company C, Maryland State Guard, accompanied by Capt. J. Philip Roman, liaison officer of the Maryland Minute Men, swore in fifty-eight members of the Lonaconing Minute Men company last evening at the Firemen's armory in Lonaconing.

Thomas Holmes is chairman of the organizing committee in Lonaconing.

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Garrett County Sawmill Wiped Out by Flames

Police Probe \$6,000 Fire at Plant Which Made Munitions Crates

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a large sawmill operation, early Sunday morning along the Dunhill road, about eight miles southwest of Grantsville.

Discovered by Employee

The sawmill and other equipment was owned by the Marquette and Bailey Lumber Company, of Uniontown, Pa. State Trooper Graydon S. Dunlap investigated the fire and he said the fire evidently broke out some time between 2 a. m. and 7:30 a. m. when it was discovered by Raymond Klotz.

Klotz, an employee at the sawmill, lives about one-quarter mile from the mill. He notified Trooper Dunlap of the fire but the flames had reached such headway that nothing could be done except keep the fire from spreading to nearby piles of finished lumber and the woods.

Trooper Dunlap said the damage was estimated at between \$5,000 and \$6,000. The sawmill was one of the largest operating in that section and consisted of a large main mill, two steam boilers and two tractors which were destroyed.

Made Munitions Crates

The mill made crates for the government which were used to pack munitions. The mill had not operated Saturday or Sunday and no workers were around the place. Trooper Dunlap said the investigation will be continued.

Local Airmen on Training Flight Sunday Morning

Two Members CAP Ready for Active Service in Coastal Patrol

A squadron of six planes, three in each group, flown by pilots of the Cumberland Civil Air Patrol went on a cross-country mission for training purposes yesterday, and flew to Burlington, W. Va., and return.

Members of the CAP have been undergoing a rigid course of ground and flight training, so they will be ready for any emergency. T. E. Carlson, intelligence officer said.

The planes in the first group were piloted by Squadron Commander L. G. Trimmer, William Williams and Robert Poling. The second group included, John Nash, G. Wayne Brenaman and Squadron Commander Joseph Bedinger, pilots with J. D. Liebau, Marian Llewellyn and Paul Adams as observers.

Meet For Study Tonight
Members of the CAP will meet tonight at the Elks' home, South Central street to begin a fifteen-hour course in navigation and meteorology.

The CAP here which has a 900-square mile area to cover has obtained valuable information pertaining to emergency fields in the area, and have spotted about 75 places where emergency landing can be made. Other pertinent information has also been collected for their use and for future use of the army, if needed.

Pilots Called To Service
George Reuhl, one of the local flying group, left Saturday for active service with the coastal patrol. Squadron Commander Joseph Bedinger expects to leave soon and has been instructed to be ready for a call.

The CAP here as elsewhere is not only part of civilian defense, but is under the direct supervision of the Interceptor Command of the Army Air Forces. Any of their members may be subject to full time duty.

DeMolay, Alumni Attend Services

March in Body from Masonic Temple to Presbyterian Church Yesterday

Members of the Sanford H. Buell Chapter, DeMolay Alumni, and Cumberland Chapter Order of DeMolay, attended church services yesterday morning at the First Presbyterian church, Washington street.

The young men marched from the Masonic Temple with their colors and each wore a white flower on his coat lapel. Flowers at the church were presented by the DeMolay in tribute to their mothers.

The Rev. William A. Eisenberger, pastor, welcomed the young men to the service. It is the practice of the DeMolay to attend service in a body at a local church at least once each four months.

The Rev. Eisenberger delivered a sermon on the subject, "The Fruit of Other Men's Labor," in which he said each individual should be conscious of those who have preceded him. Harry Kompanek was soloist, accompanied by John S. Griden, organist. Mr. Kompanek sang "Arise, O Lord," by Hoffmeister.